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CENTRE TO BAN 54 CHINESE APPS OVER SECURITY RISKS

Tencent's Xriver and Garena's Free Fire among the apps that face action over alleged threats to India's national security

COLLECTS SENSITIVE USER DATA

The apps that face action include Sweet Selfie HD, Beauty Camera, Music Player, Music Plus, Volume Booster, Video Players Media All Format, Viva Video Editor, Nice Video Baidu, AppLock, and Astracraft. According to the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology they collect sensitive user data and store them in servers located in hostile country

CLONES OF PREVIOUSLY BANNED APPS

- According to sources, most of the banned apps are "rebranded or rechristened" versions of the ones that have been banned in India since 2020 over privacy and national security risks
- This is the first major action against Chinese tech firms since the Centre banned 59 apps following June 2020 standoff in Ladakh

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CHINESE APPS BANNED IN INDIA SINCE MAY 2020

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Investors lose ₹8.5 lakh cr as fears of an imminent global crisis pull down Indian stocks

CRORES WIPED OUT AS MARKET CRASHES

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mumbai

MONDAY'S bloodbath at D-Street wiped out a whopping ₹8.48 lakh crore worth of investor wealth with frontline indices Nifty and Sensex tanking 3% each.

The Nifty ended down 531.95 points at 16,842.8 while the Sensex fell 1,747 points to close at 56,405.84, spooked by global inflationary fears and Russia-Ukraine tensions.

Foreign investors sold shares worth ₹4,254 crore while domestic institutional investors purchased a provisional ₹2,170 crore of shares, enabling the indices to close just off the day's lows.

Banks underperformed with the 12-share Bank Nifty index tanking 4.18% at 36,908.55. HDFC, SBI, ICICI Bank and IndusInd Bank fell between 4.5% and 5.5%.

Tata Steel, down 5.5% at ₹1,185.9 apiece, was among the heavyweight metal losers. The stress was evident with 49 of the Nifty stocks closing in the red with TCS being the lone stock to have ended in the green.

The India Vix, which reflects trader expectations of volatility, rose by an alarming 23% to 22.98, indicating further uncertainty in the days ahead.

"The volatility is a reflection of the inflationary stress in the US where interest rate is quoting at 2% when consumer prices are rising at 7.5%," said Raamdeo Agrawal, chairman, Motilal Oswal Financial Services.

"The rate is bound to rise and that will affect flows into EMs (emerging markets). But one silver lining is the improvement in corporate profitability in India, which should hold us in good stead, going forward. For this year, though, the market could move 10% plus or minus from here," added Agarwal.

Rohit Srivastava, founder, IndiaCharts, expects support for the Nifty to kick in at 16,750 and for the Bank Nifty at 36,234. If these levels break, the next support kicks in at 16,500 and 35,800 for Bank Nifty, weekly options expiring on February 17 show.

The Dow Jones opened with a cut of one percent at the time of going to press while Germany's Dax traded down 2.5% and the French CAC was lower 2.9%.

FIIs have sold shares worth $9.6 billion in the fiscal year through February 11, shows NSDL data. In contrast, they purchased $37 billion worth of stock in FY21.

VOLATILITY RETURNS

- FIIs pull out $9.6 bn from India so far this fiscal
- Banking, financial stocks with high FII holding hurt most
- Metal stocks pounded as dollar rise crimps commodity prices
- Fear index Vix surges 23%, indicating further volatility ahead

$100/barrel
Crude prices could touch that level and even go beyond, if a war breaks out between Russia and US-led forces over Ukraine, warn analysts

OIL PRICE ZOOMS TO 7-YEAR HIGH OF $96.16 / BARREL

Oil prices in the international market on Monday jumped to seven-year high as Brent Crude Future was trading at $96.16 per barrel in the early trading hours. The reason for the hike is the ongoing threat of conflict between Ukraine and Russia. Moscow's forces are massing on Ukraine's north, east and south. Currently, Russia exports 5 million barrels of crude per day. That demand has reached pre-pandemic levels but production remains low, is also a reason for the price hike. However, India is unaffected for now as domestic price has not been revised for more than three months

Retail inflation breaches RBI's tolerance level

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

HIGH food and beverage prices pushed India's retail inflation way past the Reserve Bank of India's upper tolerance level of 6% as Consumer Price Index-based inflation shot up to a seven-month high of 6.01% in January, government data released on Monday showed.

This is a notable spike considering the figure was 5.66% in the previous month.

Food inflation stood at 5.58% in January, up from 4.47% in December 2021, driven by higher prices of cereals, meat, egg, vegetables and pulses. Clothing and footwear prices also witnessed higher inflation at 8.84% in January compared to 8.3% in December 2021.

Fuel inflation eased in January to 9.32% compared to 10.95% in December, but experts believe prices might remain at elevated levels unless international crude oil prices come down.

While the latest inflation number has moved out of RBI's comfort zone, the central bank maintains there is no cause for alarm as the breach is on account of an unfavourable base. Speaking to reporters, RBI Governor Shaktikanta Das claimed the banking regulator's inflation estimates are realistic. In its latest monetary policy, RBI has estimated 5.3% inflation in 2021-22 and 4.5% in 2022-23. The core inflation, which is arrived at after excluding food and fuel inflation, has fallen to 5.96% from 6% in December.

Meanwhile, wholesale inflation moderated to 12.96% in January 2022 from 13.56% a month ago.

Karnataka HC strikes down ban on online games

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

IN a major setback to the state government, the Karnataka High Court on Monday struck down amendments made to the Karnataka Police Act to prohibit and criminalise playing games of skill, including online games, by risking money or otherwise.

A division bench of Chief Justice Ritu Raj Awasthi and Justice Krishna S Dixit pronounced the judgement after hearing a batch of petitions filed by the All-India Gaming Federation and others, challenging the validity of the amendment.

The court said provisions of Sections 2, 3, 6, 8 and 9 of the Karnataka Police (Amendment) Act are in violation of the Constitution in their entirety.

In the amendment, persons who play games of chance and those who play games of skill were unjustifiably put in one homogenous class. "Our Constitution does not permit things which are different in fact or opinion to be treated in law as though they were the same. The doctrine of equality enshrined in Article 14 is violated not only when equals are treated unequally but also when un-equals are treated equally disregarding their difference," the court noted, referring to a judgement of the Supreme Court.

The court made it clear that the consequences of striking down the subject provisions of the Karnataka Police (Amendment) Act, 2021 shall follow. However, the order will not prevent passing of an appropriate legislation on 'betting and gambling' in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution. A writ of mandamus is issued restraining state authorities from interfering with online gaming business and allied activities of the petitioners, the court said.

It observed that the state's decision amounts to a physician turning away a potential patient saying that the gangrene is yet to develop, despite obvious pathological conditions. P5

EXPRESS READ

Farooq prevented from leaving residence

Srinagar: Former Jammu and Kashmir CM Farooq Abdullah was on Monday prevented from leaving his house over security concerns on the anniversary of the Pulwama attack, prompting him to lodge a strong protest.

ISRO successfully launches 3 satellites

Sriharikota (AP): The Indian Space Research Organisation on Monday successfully placed its earth observation satellite EOS-04 and two small satellites into the intended orbit, its first launch mission in 2022. P5

SC ORDER

'EWS quota in NEET-PG admissions next year too'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ New Delhi

The Supreme Court's verdict on the validity of the ₹8 lakh annual income criteria for the Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) quota in NEET-PG will apply for admissions in the next year as well.

A bench comprising judges D Y Chandrachud and Surya Kant was hearing a writ petition filed by NEET-PG candidates seeking clarification on the applicability of EWS criteria of ₹8 lakh to NEET PG 2022-2023, as the issue regarding its validity is pending consideration in a case relating to 2021-2022 counselling.

During the hearing, the bench said it has not stalled the process for the next year, and the main matter (regarding EWS norms' validity) will be heard in March. The counsel appearing for the petitioners, submitted that his clients have sought an extension of the deadline for edit option in the online forms with respect to the EWS norms.

"No, we cannot grant you extension of the edit window. If authorities have set out a window then so be it. Whatever happens in the matter, it will govern because that's our jurisdiction under Article 32," Justice Chandrachud said. The petitioner's counsel pointed out that the prospectus does not mention the pendency of the issue in the other matter. "When the SC is seized of the matter, the SC will give directions. Why should the prospectus mention so?" he asked. "We have not stalled the process for 2022-2023. We just said EWS quota will be as per our order and we will decide in March. You can file intervention in the main matter."

NATIONWIDE	FEB 13	FEB 14
Fresh cases	44,877	34,113
Recoveries	1,17,591	91,930
Deaths	684	346
KARNATAKA	FEB 13	FEB 14
Fresh cases	2,372	1,568
Recoveries	5,395	6,025
Deaths	27	25

JAB-O-METER
TAKE YOUR SHOT
February 13
11,66,993 doses
February 14
40,40,596 doses
TOTAL DOSES
1,73,38,16,302

A 4-PAGE MARKETING SUPPLEMENT 'SMALL STEPS GIANT LEAPS' WITH THIS ISSUE

PEACEFUL POLLING IN THREE STATES

59.37% voter turnout

It is 5.43% less than the previous Assembly election. Minor scuffles reported from Haridwar and Nainital districts

60.44% voter turnout

Voting took place across 11,448 polling stations in 55 Assembly constituencies of Uttar Pradesh. There were no reports of poll day violence in the state

78.94% voter turnout

In 2017, the turnout was 81.21%

Over 40 students in hijab return from school

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

EVEN as the Karnataka High Court is hearing petitions over the hijab row, Classes 9 and 10 reopened across the state on Monday after they were ordered shut for three days with the issue taking a violent turn earlier last week.

While schools in the rest of the state reported a fairly peaceful reopening, in Shivamogga, 13 students of Government High School returned home without writing the SSLC preparatory exams which started on Monday, insisting that they be allowed inside classrooms with hijab on. Education department officials tried to convince them to write the examination by removing their headscarf, but in vain.

In a similar incident, over 30 students of a public school in Nellihudikeri in Kodagu came back home after they were barred entry into the school wearing hijab. The students' parents expressed hope of receiving justice from the Karnataka High Court. In one incident in Mandya, the school management asked a teacher to remove her hijab before entering the school, which came under severe criticism and a video of it went viral on social media.

In Belagavi, several girls arrived wearing hijab at Anjuman School and Sardar's High School leading to arguments between parents and staff of schools. The students were later persuaded to remove their hijab and follow the interim order of the court. P4

Students from the Government High School leave without writing the SSLC preparatory exam after authorities refuse to allow them inside wearing hijab, in Shivamogga on Monday | SHIMOGA NANDAN

PU AND DEGREE COLLEGES TO REOPEN TOMORROW

After reopening schools across the state, the State Government on Monday decided to reopen pre-university and degree colleges from Wednesday. Meanwhile, college students have to wear uniforms wherever there is a dress code. The decision was taken in a review meeting, attended by Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai. P2

Govt order illegal: Lawyer to High Court

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE state government order prescribing uniforms in schools and colleges is erroneous and illegal, as it says that wearing hijab is not a violation of Article 25 of the Constitution and also leaves the decision on hijab to the College Development Committee (CDC) headed by an MLA. This is a mockery of fundamental right to freedom, senior advocate Devadutt Kamat, representing students from Udupi district, argued before the Karnataka High Court on Monday.

He told the full bench, which is hearing a batch of pleas on the hijab row, that the order dated February 5, 2022, is passed without applying mind. The person who drafted the order has not gone into Article 25, as it says the ban on wearing hijab is not a violation of this Article. P4

CLASS ACT

IISc gets ₹452 cr donation to build combined hospital, medical college

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

IN the single-largest private donation in its 113-year-old history, the Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bengaluru, received Rs 425 crore to build a postgraduate medical college and multi-speciality hospital on its campus.

Taking the examples of university hospitals set up as part of institutes, like the Harvard Medical School, Stanford University Medical Center and Johns Hopkins Hospital, the institute hopes to finish building the medical college and hospital by 2024-end.

The project is funded by two philanthropist couples -- Susmita and Subroto Bagchi, and Radha and NS Parthasarathy. Subroto and Parthasarathy are co-founders on IT major Mindtree. In honour of them, the hospital will be named Bagchi-Parthasarathy Hospital and the college "IISc Postgraduate Medical School".

The hospital-school will have a 800-bed facility, cater to all possible specialities and have a six-year dual MD-PhD programme. IISc Director Prof Govindan Rangarajan said, "We've already had a century of excellence in science and engineering, and we're hoping that the next frontier can be the combination of science and engineering with clinical sciences."

Using the examples of inventions like the mRNA Covid-19 vaccine, insulin, pacemaker and defibrillator, he said that they have been invented in medical schools based in universities, something that is not common in India. P2

An artist's impression of the proposed Bagchi-Parthasarathy Hospital, on the campus of the IISc in Bengaluru

AIR INDIA GETS ILKER AYCI AS ITS NEW CEO & MD

Ayci, 51, is former chairman of Turkish Airlines. "Ilker is an aviation industry leader who led Turkish Airlines to its current success," Tata Sons chairman N Chandrasekaran said. Ayci is expected to assume his new position on or before April 1 | P12

ALMANAC TODAY
Tuesday : 15/02/2022 • Year: Plava • Ayana: Uttharayana
Ritu: Sishira • Masa: Magha • Paksha: Shukla • Tithi: Chaturdashi 9.07 pm
Nakshatra: Pushya 1.29 pm • Moon in Simha Rashi • Rahukaala: 03:00 am to 04:30 am
Gulikakala: 12:00 pm to 01:30 pm • Yamaganda: 09:00 am to 10:30 am

WEATHER
MIN 17°C | MAX 30°C
FORECAST
Increasing cloudiness

Sunrise 6.42 am
Sunset 6.25 pm
Moonrise 5.23 pm
Moonset 5.43 am

PU, degree classes to resume from tomorrow

College students will have to wear uniform wherever there is a prescribed dress code

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

ON a day schools across the state reopened, after being closed for a few days in the light of the hijab controversy, the State Government decided to reopen pre-university and degree colleges from Wednesday. College students will have to wear the uniform wherever there is a dress code.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai held a review meeting with Primary and Secondary Education Minister B C Nagesh, Higher Education Minister Dr C N Ashwath Narayan and Home Minister Araga Jnanendra before arriving at the decision.

After the hijab issue started spiralling, the government announced closure of high schools and colleges for three days. However, it had extended the holidays for colleges for three more days, while high schools reopened from Monday.

Speaking to reporters after the meeting, Minister Nagesh said they have reviewed the situation and decided to reopen PU and degree colleges as per the High Court directives. Wherever there is uniform, the High Court direction is applicable. This has to be followed as per the interim order, he said.

> We have reviewed the situation and decided to reopen PU and degree colleges as per the HC directives. Wherever there is uniform, the HC directive is applicable
>
> BC Nagesh, Primary and Secondary Eduction Minister

Home Minister Araga Jnanendra said parents and students want colleges to reopen and the police will be in touch with college and school principals along with management committee members to extend all support. When asked about people behind this incident, Jnanendra said there are unseen hands about which the police are collecting details. "I cannot reveal much information at this stage," he added.

Students cross a barricade to enter their school, in Bengaluru. Schools reopened on Monday after being shut for three days | SHRIRAM BN

No disturbance as city schools reopen

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

AFTER being shut for three days, schools in the city resumed classes for Grades 9 and 10 on Monday to relative peace. Schools, PU colleges, and degree colleges were ordered shut on February 9 as the hijab controversy spiralled. As a precautionary measure, the city police had been deployed at sensitive and high risk areas to prevent any untoward incident. This also included a public school in Chandra Layout where protests had erupted on Saturday by both Muslim parents and various Hindu outfits following allegations that a teacher had made derogatory remarks against Muslim students.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai on Sunday had said that officials, including deputy directors of the Department of Public Instruction and district administration were keeping an eye on the situation across the state. Department of Public Instruction commissioner R Vishal had also ruled out the likelihood of trouble breaking out.

'Hospital will create impact globally'

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"A medical school based in a university will not just have a local impact within the country and the community, but has the potential to have an impact globally," Prof Govindan Rangarajan said. The hospital will allow seamless integration of clinical practices and laboratory research, and help create a generation of hybrid physician-scientists who are well-versed with the practical and academic sides of medicine.

Radha Parthasarathy said, "IISc's larger vision to integrate science, engineering and medicine in one campus is new to India. The pandemic we are living through has established the need for urgency in creating universal access and equity in medicine." Health Minister Dr K Sudhakar tweeted: "Great to hear that cofounders of Mindtree have donated Rs 425 crore for a Postgraduate Medical School and an 800-bed research hospital at IISc..."

Two-fold rise in export of roses from KIA

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE demand for roses from Bengaluru this Valentine's Day has increased substantially with a whopping 5.15 lakh kg of roses shipped to 25 national and international destinations in the run-up to the Valentine's Day. This marks a near two-fold increase in shipments when compared to the 2.7 lakh kg imported during the period the previous year.

A release from airport operator, Bangalore International Airport Ltd (BIAL) said that domestic shipments have witnessed a significant improvement, having risen to 3.15 lakh kg as against 1.03 lakh kg in 2021, recording over 200% growth. Around 2 lakh kg were exported to international destinations this year versus last year's 1.7 lakh kg.

"Bengaluru is the biggest exporter of roses in India. At Bengaluru airport, we take pride in becoming a channel to aid the local community, growers and shippers by facilitating shipment of their produce while maintaining freshness. Our cargo infrastructure, powered by technology, provides rapid distribution of perishable cargo, making Bengaluru airport the preferred cargo airport in South India," said Mr. Satyaki Raghunath, Chief Strategy & Development Officer, BIAL.

The top domestic destinations for roses include Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, Guwahati and Chandigarh. Among the top international destinations are Singapore, Kuala Lumpur, London, Amsterdam, Kuwait, Auckland, Beirut, Manila, Muscat, and Dubai.

On V-Day, woman donates part of liver to save hubby

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

SAKSHI and Rakesh (name changed) can be called the epitome of love as she donated a part of her liver to her husband. The couple - Sakshi, 47, and her husband, 49, - are from Gwalior. Rakesh was suffering from cirrhosis for the last four years and they underwent a living donor liver transplant at Aster RV Hospital.

Dr Sonal Asthana, lead consultant – HPB and Liver Transplant Surgery, Aster RV Hospital, said, "Thousands of patients suffer from liver diseases. They often reach a stage where the only form of cure and hope is liver transplantation. When a part of the liver is donated, the remaining part grows back to almost normal size within a few weeks, making liver transplantation from living donors a very safe form of treatment."

Dr Apurva Pande, consultant- Hepatologist, Aster RV Hospital, said that the patient's condition was critical, and delaying the transplant could have turned fatal. "The couple approached us a few days back and we undertook the transplant soon after that. Usually, post-transplant infections and rejections are the major roadblocks for successful outcomes."

Rakesh not only thanked Sakshi but also said that there was no better gift on Valentine's Day.

City musician travels 1.15L km collecting soil from martyrs' homes

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

"ASK not what your country can do for you — ask what you can do for your country'. These words of former US President JF Kennedy cited by Pulwama martyr Mohanlal's daughter who is preparing to join the Army reverberate in my ears even today," said Umesh Gopinath Jadhav on arriving in Bengaluru after completing his journey of 1.15 lakh kilometres by road and meeting families of 144 martyrs.

"Even without wearing the uniform, one can do a lot for the country. This is what I realised when I travelled across the country and interacted with the martyrs' families and citizens," says the 40-year-old pharmacy professor and musician.

He left his job and decided to meet the families of martyrs and collect the soil from outside their homes after he learnt of the Pulwama attack on February 14, 2019. He started his crowd-funded journey on April 9, 2019, leaving behind his two sons and wife.

He not just met the families of the 40 CRPF Pulwama martyrs, but also family members of those who died in first and second World Wars, Kargil war, Uri attack, Pathankot attack, Operation Rakshak, Galwan clash and recent Coonoor helicopter crash in which Chief of Defence Staff General Bipin Rawat died.

The Bengalurean was at Jaipur airport on February 14 when he got to know of the Pulwama attack. He was returning to Bengaluru after performing at a private event. "It shook me. I then decided to collect the soil from the homes of all the martyrs. Already one memorial has been built with the soil of Pulwama martyrs, now the soil collected from the homes of the other martyrs will also be handed over to the defence forces to make another memorial in Delhi," he said.

He recollects having started his journey with meeting family members of CRPF jawan H Guru in Mandya. He said it is not possible to meet all the martyrs' families, so he tried to meet at least two from each state. But in Nasik, four different families came to meet him and all had combined the soil from their respective homes in one kalash, instead of four. "This one was very emotional. No martyr family refused to meet me. Many hosted me at their homes. The lockdown slowed down my travel," he says.

He collected soil from the homes of the two Field Marshals General KM Cariappa and General Sam Manekshaw, 26/11 martyr Major Sandeep Unnikrishnan from the elite 51 Special Action Group.

Jadhav and his friends are planning to make a documentary from his interactions with the martyrs' families and give it to the Defence Ministry.

Umesh Gopinath Jadhav is in Bengaluru after completing his journey of 1.15 lakh km by road and meeting families of 144 martyrs | ASHISHKRISHNA HP

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

15th February : Today's numerology favours creativity. Why this should be is lost in the mists of time, but it seems like a good idea to me. Perhaps if we all got together and came up with original solutions to well-worn problems, the world might be a much better place by the end of the day!

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
You won't be alone in deciding that friends and colleagues are just being too much trouble. One minute they're all over you, the next it's all over! Neither at home nor at work will you be free from such capricious people. And, if children, friends or lovers want most of the attention, you'd better let them have it!

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
The time may not yet have come for decisive action at home. In any event, there is so much potential for misunderstanding this week that you might be well advised to stick to uncontroversial matters, difficult as this restriction may be to observe. Really, you need to make up your own rules.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Bearing in mind that you are passing through a phase of existence that must be described as favourable, you may survive a financial crisis intact. However, you should insure yourself by taking every possible precaution. After all, a good gambler always calculates the odds well in advance.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
It is now time to start holding peace talks. Even if friends and colleagues are still behaving irrationally, you must make every effort to pour oil on troubled waters and distinguish fact from fantasy. And, as an added aside, don't let anyone over-charge you.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
What you need now is a bolt-hole, somewhere to hide from the attacks and criticisms that seem to be heading in your direction. One of your fears is that personal friction will disrupt your working life. Perhaps you're just a little too thin-skinned today.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
The strongest planet of the moment is Venus, which is currently indicating emotional turmoil. This is not an easy time for you practical Virgoans, but it is certainly easier than last week, and I suspect that you will handle partners' demands better than most people.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Obstinacy doesn't suit you. It never did, and it certainly doesn't now. According to an old Chinese saying, the branch which does not bend in the wind will break. Right now, you are that branch, so it is vital that you adopt a totally pragmatic and flexible approach.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Your planetary pictures are so contradictory that it is honestly impossible to say whether this is a good moment for you to travel or not. Much depends on how you handle your personal relationships. I should think that it's time to tie up loose ends.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
Around this time of year, when the Sun is beginning to pass through materialistic regions of your chart, you are forced to pay more attention to other people's needs. The sense in such an approach will become clear if you consider the financial consequences of a personal rift.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
You do tend to feel over-dependent on people around you, and the determination of others to exploit your discomfort may make you feel rather uneasy about the future. Yet, if you are to be entirely truthful, you must see just how far you are responsible for the current situation.

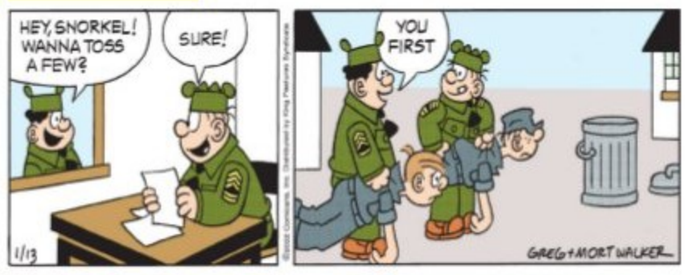
AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Very little in astrology is subject to fate, or to circumstances we can't influence. Difficult planetary aspects are not bound to bring personal disputes to the fore, but this may be precisely the result you get unless you take the initiative and try to force everyone to co-operate.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
It is said of the Piscean that he, or she, finds it almost impossible not to share in other people's unhappiness. Yet you know that, at times like these, it is so much more helpful if you attempt to soothe their ruffled feathers. Bring a smile to a partner's lips.

THE PHANTOM

HI AND LOIS

BEETLE BAILEY



BLONDIE

I CAN CATER THE ENTIRE EVENT FOR...
OUT OF THE QUESTION
IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SKIP THE...
YOU'LL HAVE TO DO BETTER THAN THAT
OH, I'M SORRY, I'VE BEEN REHEARSING MY LINES AND I'M GETTING AHEAD OF MYSELF

LOCKHORNS

DENNIS THE MENACE

SU DO KU

Medium: Test your number crunching skill with our unique puzzle

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

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7	2				6			1
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	3	9	5	8				
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	5						1	4
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6	4		1					3

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

2	6	9	1	8	7	3	5	4
8	3	7	5	9	4	6	1	2
4	1	5	3	2	6	7	8	9
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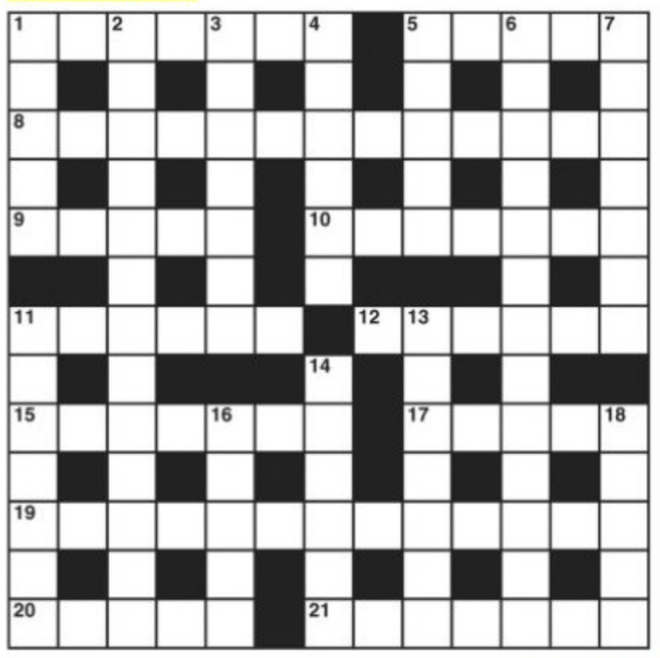
CROSS WORD



ACROSS
1 Permit bad behaviour? (7)
5 He has a trying job (5)
8 Deigning to be gracious (13)
9 Just one line from a letter (5)
10 Widely used way to study construction (7)
11 Runs out of lighters (6)
12 Sort of dagger with a rough edge (6)
15 We do turn out after all - it's not forbidden (7)
17 They are used for holding coal fires (5)
19 The last job one aims for on a racecourse (9,4)
20 Girl back in Oriental island (5)
21 Expert put to death by direction (7)

DOWN
1 They're not the key parts of firearms (5)
2 Danny's car ails? Maybe he should fly there (6,7)
3 End fuel blending as required (7)
4 Company guard (6)
5 Wild jaunt for those in power (5)
6 Where to find motorists on course? (7,6)
7 Signed up in preparation for a match? (7)
11 Dishonest way to acquire piece of riding gear (7)
13 A ship for example with first-rate missile (7)
14 Acknowledges it's mad to change (6)
16 A tract for spendthrifts (5)
18 Fed up with dates having to be rearranged (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Lager, 8 Shindigs, 9 Tie-up, 10 Pretence, 11 Sepia, 12 Ada, 16 Stones, 17 Macaws, 18 Sty, 23 Toils, 24 Handover, 25 Annoy, 26 Founders, 27 Gross.

Down: 2 Anisette, 3 Esurient, 4 Shared, 5 Knits, 6 Liens, 7 Ashen, 12 Ass, 13 Amy, 14 Schooner, 15 Swallows, 19 Theory, 20 Shift, 21 Endup, 22 Words.

JUMBLE By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

KEISR

HOYAO

SOLONE

PRETIM

I told you I was getting the dolly.
I thought I could carry it without it.
HE THOUGHT HE COULD PICK UP THE HEAVY BOX BY HIMSELF BUT WAS ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon

ANSWERS TOMORROW

YESTERDAY'S **Jumbles:**
ICING WAIVE PIGLET NOTION
ANSWER: The twins usually knew what each other was thinking because they were – "IN-TWO-ITIVE"

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Channarayapatna police on Wednesday arrested a woman, Sunita, and her paramour, Naveen from Nuggehlli for allegedly murdering her husband, Ananda over their affair. Naveen and Sunita were in a relationship for a couple of years. Both have been remanded to judicial custody

TRACKING COVID-19

DURATION OF PANDEMIC
1 YEAR, 342 DAYS

CASES REPORTED
Today: **1,568** | Yesterday: **2,372**

TALLY
Today: **39,28,237**
Yesterday: **39,26,669**

DEATHS	DISCHARGES
Today: **25**	Today: **6,025**
Yesterday: **27**	Yesterday: **5,395**

ACTIVE CASES
Today: **31,215**
Yesterday: **35,697**

POSITIVITY RATE	MORTALITY RATE
Today: **6.18%**	Today: **1.00%**
Yesterday: **6.18%**	Yesterday: **1.00%**

RECOVERY RATE Today: **98.19%** Yesterday: **98.08%**

DISTRICT-WISE COVID CASES
LAST 24 HOURS

Bengaluru Urban	**754**
Bengaluru Rural	**07**
Bagalkot	18
Ballari	50
Belagavi	63
Bidar	08
Chamarajanagar	20
Chikkaballapur	24
Chikkamagaluru	18
Chitradurga	21
Dakshina Kannada	55
Davanagere	14
Dharwad	20
Gadag	07
Hassan	37
Haveri	22
Kalaburagi	28
Kodagu	26
Kolar	12
Koppal	12
Mandya	35
Mysuru	78
Raichur	15
Ramanagara	26
Shivamogga	91
Tumakuru	37
Udupi	31
Uttara Kannada	14
Vijayapura	15
Yadgir	10

WORRYING TREND

Childhood cancer on rise: Kidwai study

3.1 pc cases in state among young population

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

CANCER is a leading cause of death among children and adolescents around the world, a study by Bengaluru's Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology has shown. The study was taken up as part of a global drive to increase the rate of cancer survival among children.

Approximately, 2,06,362 children between the ages of 0 and 14 are diagnosed with cancer each year. The most common forms of childhood cancer include leukemia, lymphoma and solid tumours such as brain cancers, neuroblastoma and Wilms tumour. The study, as part of the International Childhood Cancer Day observed on February 15, shows that out of 87,304 cases in Karnataka, 1,323 (3.1 per cent) cases relate to childhood cancer. Of these, 679 were boys and 644 girls. In Bengaluru, the Population Based Cancer Registry registered an average of 192 cases, of which 114 are boys and 78 girls, with antigen-antibody reaction of 114.2 and 82.7 per 10 lakh population in boys and girls, respectively.

Leukemia, brain tumour, lymphoma and neuroblastoma were found to be the leading categories of cancer in both genders. A total of 758 cases of childhood cancer were registered at Kidwai last year, accounting for 5 per cent of all cancers, with leukemia being the most common type. The study also noted that a delay in referral of a child with cancer and late initiation of treatment portends to poor outcomes. Barriers in treating childhood cancer were found to be late presentation, delayed or misdiagnosis, treatment denial abandonment, treatment toxicities, increased risk of relapses, sub-optimal care, failure to create awareness about childhood cancer in the public and medical fraternity.

IN ONE VOICE

Members of State Guest Lecturers' Association stage an indefinite strike at Freedom Park, pressing for their demands, including seeking regularisation of their service, in Bengaluru on Monday | SHRIRAM BN

7 drug peddlers held, 64 kg ganja seized

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

BANASVADI police on Sunday arrested a gang of three drug peddlers and seized 20 kgs of ganja worth Rs 6 lakh along with an auto rickshaw.

The arrested have been identified as Qamrul Islam, 27, Sahib Miyan, 40, and his relative Khurshid Miyan, 21. They are from Tripura.

A senior police officer said that based on a tip-off, the accused were caught while they were trying to sell the drugs near Janakiram Layout auto rickshaw stand.

It was revealed during interrogation that the accused are daily wage labourers working in the city, and would source the drugs from their native places. They carried the drugs by concealing it in their backpacks, travelling by train, and sell it for extra income. They were booked under NDPS Act and have been taken into custody for further investigations.

In another incident, Ramamurthy Nagar police arrested two drug peddlers, Asif Sheikh, 30 and Shivraj, 26, from Odisha, and recovered one kg of marijuana. They brought the drugs from their native place using their contacts, and sold it at double the price.

Similarly, Upparpete police have arrested two drug peddlers and seized 43 kg of ganja. The accused had brought it in an auto rickshaw to sell it to the commuters and employees around Majestic.

Youth rapes 11-year-old, pushes her into tank

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Hassan

A 24-year-old youth allegedly raped an 11-year-old girl and pushed her into a tank at a village in Hassan taluk. According to the police, the incident occurred on Sunday afternoon. Keerthi Sagar, the accused, allegedly lured the girl offering gifts while she was playing with her friends near her house.

The miscreant took her to an isolated place where he allegedly raped her and pushed her into a tank. One of the villagers, who was out on a field nearby, found the girl screaming for help. He rushed to the spot and rescued her.

After learning about the incident, her parents also arrived and shifted her to HIMS Hospital. During interrogation, the accused confessed to the crime. Keerthi Sagar, who was sent to judicial custody, is said to be the girl's neighbour.

AIRPORT STAFFER ARRESTED OVER THEFT OF FLYER'S TABLET

S LALITHA @Bengaluru

AN airport employee was arrested on charges of theft after he stealthily took a tablet computer left behind by a passenger on a flight after it reached the Bengaluru airport.

The tablet belonged to an air passenger who was on a Go First flight from Jaipur to Bengaluru on February 10, said sources. The arrested employee, Murali, was working for the ground handling agent, (service provided when aircraft is on the ground), CELEBI, they said. Flight no. G8 807 reached Bengaluru at 6.40 am. "A little bit later, the passenger realised he had left behind his tablet on the flight. He alerted the airline. A case was filed at the Airport police station by the flyer," said a source. The Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) personnel were alerted about it, he added.

The CISF conducted random checks of all employees on the same day and nabbed the staff, the source added.

Another source said that flyers often leave behind items, particularly gadgets, inside flights or at the airport, and added, "It is the duty of any employee who spots any passenger belongings to alert the airline, and they deposit it in the Lost & Found section of the airport," he said.

Airport police said the Samsung tablet was worth almost Rs 15,000. "It is a case of theft and he has been booked under Section 380 of IPC. We have arrested him," said a police officer. The airline has alerted the flyer about the recovery of his tablet, and he has collected it from the police station.

Go First airline has confirmed the incident.

Five held for duping businessman of ₹1 cr

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE Electronics City police have arrested a gang of five people, who had allegedly cheated a businessman of Rs 1 crore, offering to arrange a loan to the tune of Rs 100 crore.

Police said, Vincent, who runs a garment business in Mysuru, had planned to diversify into foreign countries, for which he required a loan of Rs 100 crore. He came in contact with one Sanjay Bhushan Shukla, through a friend, who offered to arrange the loan from a company in Chandigarh, but first, he had to pay a 1 per cent commission.

"The accused met Vincent at a hotel in Electronics City in the last week of January, and received Rs 37 lakh by cash on three occasions, while the remaining Rs 63 lakh was transferred online. After that the accused began avoiding Vincent, who filed a police complaint on January 29. Finally, the accused were traced in Mumbai, Madhya Pradesh, and Karnataka. Investigations revealed that he met businessmen in luxury hotels on the pretext of arranging loans for them and cheated them," the police said.

BBMP auto driver among 3 held for theft

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE Government Railway Police (GRP) have cracked A case involving the theft of a mobile phone from an individual, near Nayandahalli railway station recently, after assaulting him with stones. Three out of the six accused, including an auto driver working for the BBMP, have been nabbed.

According to a release on Monday, the other two accused are plumbers, aged 19 and 20. The incident occurred on February 6 and a case was registered at the Bengaluru City Railway Police station under Sections 395 and 202 of IPC. The investigation team, led by Inspector Shivakumar, involved Sub-Inspector M D Purushotham and Assistant SI Muniyappa, Head Constable Anil Kumar, constables Ajith Agara and KG Sunil Kumar. ADGP Railways Bhaskar Rao and Superintendent of Railways D R Siri Gowri guided them.

EXPRESS READ

Man held for murdering mother in Hassan

HASSAN: A man allegedly murdered his mother over a family dispute, and also attacked his wife in Sankalapura village on Monday. The police arrested Nanjegowda for the murder of Sannamma (64). They said that Nanjegowda, in a druken state, picked a quarrel with her and struck her with a sickle. He then attacked his wife Rupa, who tried to protect her mother-in-law.

IN THE COURT OF THE 63 Addl CITY CIVIL JUDGE, AT BENGALURU, P & S.C. No.595/2021

BETWEEN: **Sri. Ramanjaneya.M**. S/o late Muniyellappa. P, Aged about 38 years, R/at No. 1499, Nijamuddin Compound, Water Tank Road, Vijinapura, Near Water Tank, Bengaluru-560 016. ...PETITIONER

AND:
NIL. ...RESPONDENTS

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, the above named petitioners have filed the above petition U/S 289 of Indian Succession Act for the grant of Succession Certificate in favour of the petitioner in the brother of late M. Shankar @Shiva Shankar passed away on 28-11-2017. In respect of below mentioned schedule belongs to late M.Shankar @ Shivshankar. Interested parties are hereby called to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on 13/03/2022 at 11.00 AM inform to show cause against the petitioners failing wherein the appearance will be heard and declared as exparte.

SCHEDULE

1) Money lying in Bank Account bearing savings bank account No.04202010160762, at Syndicate Bank, K.R. Puram Branch, No. 148, Old Chinmai Road, K.R. Puram Bengaluru-560 036. **2)** P.F. benefits and all other death benefits of late M. Shankar @ Shiva Shankar, the amount kept in the EPF Scheme i.e., Claim Form 10D, vide Account No.BG/BNG/0016128/000/0002624 under the EPS Scheme.

Giving under my hand and seal of this court on this day 8th day of Feb 2022.

By order of the court, Assistant Register
City civil Court Bangalore

Advocate for petitioner.
B. Srinivas, Advocate
office at No.123/A, Ground Floor, 5th Main, Mathikere, Bengaluru-54.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that **(a) Sri.Manjunath.M.N** S/o. Late. M.N Nagaraj, Aged about 45 years, residing at No.275/Y, 1st Main, 7th Block, 4th Phase, Banashankari 3rd Stage, Bangalore-560085, and **(b) Smt. Kavitha.M** W/o. Dr.Mahantesh.A.S, Aged about 42 years, residing at No.3035, 14th Cross, BSK 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560070 represents that they are the absolute owners of the **"Schedule Property"**. Further they represent that, they have lost the original General Power of Attorney executed by Smt.Savitha Muthanna in favour of Smt.M.N. Mani and have lodged the Complaint with the Crime Branch Bangalore City Police on 24/01/2022.

Further, my client intends to purchase the Schedule Property from its owners namely Sri.Manjunath.M.N and Smt. Kavitha.M. If any person/s having any right, title or claims, objections or interest over the Schedule Property may lodge their claims/objections with documentary proof within **10 days** from this day to the undersigned counsel. Failing which, it shall be deemed that there are no claims/objections over the Schedule Property and my client shall proceed with the transaction and complete the sale transaction to purchase the Schedule Property free from all encumbrances. Any claims received beyond **10 days** will not be considered.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Property bearing **Site No.408,** formed by the Bangalore Development Authority, situated at **4th Block, Banashankari 6th Stage Layout, Bangalore,** measuring East to West : 18.00 Meters and North to South : 12.00 Meters, totally measuring **216.00 Square Meters** and bounded on :

East by : Road;
West by : Site No.381;
North by : Site No.409;
South by : Site No.407.

G.V. Sudhakar, Advocate
No.3, 4, 5 & 8, First Floor, Abhayashrama Complex, 4th Cross, Wilson Garden, Bangalore-27.
Ph : 080-42194390, 9886359644

FORM No.3 (See Regulation-15(1)(a))
BEFORE THE HON'BLE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BENGALURU
O. A No.845/2021

BETWEEN: Union Bank of India :Applicant
AND: M/s. Avhni Abode & Others : Defendants

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 BY PAPER PUBLICATION TO DEFENDANT No. 5

WHERE AS, in order to recover the debt, the applicant bank has filed this OA U/s-19 of Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act 1993 against you for recovery of sum mentioned therein together with current and future interest and other reliefs you are hereby directed to appear and file written statement before this Hon'ble Tribunal at 10.30 AM or at such time immediately thereafter according to convenience of Tribunal on **14.03.2022** to answer the claim.

1. A copy of the application and annexures are enclosed herewith. You are directed to collect the same on your appearance before the Tribunal.
2. If you intend to file any documents, you may file the same with list along with the written statement.
3. You should file your registered address and memo of appearance when you enter appearance before the tribunal either in person or by a pleader/Advocate duly instructed.
4. Take Notice that, in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein below, the proceeding will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal, on this 08-12-2021 at Bengaluru.

By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Registrar,
Registrar, DRT-II, Bengaluru

Defendant No. 5
5. Mrs. Anantha Lakshmi Kothala Chinta
Additional Director of M/s Eternity Structures Pvt Ltd, Vasavi, No. 75/757, 1st Floor, 10th Main, 4th Block, Jaya Nagar, Bengaluru-560011.

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Bengaluru Zone, # 11, Kempegowda Road, Bengaluru-560009.
Phone No. 080-22959407, 080-22959408, E-mail: zo.bengaluru@bankofindia.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE (Rule - 8 (1)) (For immovable property)

Whereas the Authorized Officer of Bank of India under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Sec 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **18.01.2020** calling upon the Borrower/ Mortgagor/guarantor **M/s SLN Pharmaceuticals, Mr. G. Ayyappareddy (Proprietor), Mrs. Jayamma (Guarantor) and Mrs. Deepa C (Guarantor)** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.31,37,917/-** (Rupees Thirty One Lakhs Thirty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Seventeen) with further interest thereon @ 11.50% p.a. compounded with monthly rests thereon within 60 (sixty) days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under subsection (4) of section 13 of Act read with Rule 8 of the (Security Interest Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **11th day of February of the year 2022.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs.31,37,917/-** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE SECURED ASSETS

All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Property bearing BBMP Katha No. 57/58/69/65, Eastern Portion of V P Katha No.69/65, situated at Kempapura Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring East to West on the Northern side 24 Ft on the Southern side 27.06 Ft and North to South 40 Ft, with a residential building thereon, owned by Mrs. Jayamma, Mr. Narendra Babu and Mrs. Deepa C. The Boundaries of the property: East by - House belonging to Mr. E L Krishnappa, West by - Remaining portion in the same property belonging to Mr. A Prakash, North by - Road, South by - Property belonging to Mrs. Papamma and Mr. Gopal Reddy.

Date : 11.02.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Bank of India

IDFC FIRST Bank Limited
(erstwhile Capital First Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)
CIN : L65110TN2014PLC097792
Registered Office: KRM Towers, 8th Floor, Harrington Road, Chetpet, Chennai-600031. TEL: +91 44 4564 4000 | FAX: +91 44 4564 4022.

APPENDIX IV [Rule 8(1)]
POSSESSION NOTICE (For immovable property)

Whereas the undersigned being the authorised officer of the **IDFC First Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **15.04.2021** calling upon the borrower, co-borrowers and guarantors **1. Dinesh Kumar, 2. Mangalamma Malaverayya,** To repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 15,82,118.09/- (Rupees Fifteen Lakh Eighty Two Thousand One Hundred Eighteen And Nine Paise Only)** as on **12-04-2021** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Demand notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken **Symbolic Possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub – section (4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **11th day of February 2022.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **IDFC First Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)** for an amount of **Rs. 15,82,118.09/- (Rupees Fifteen Lakh Eighty Two Thousand One Hundred Eighteen And Nine Paise Only)** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub – section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable properties

All That Piece And Parcel Of Property Bearing Extract Of E Swathu Bearing No. 129, Old Khaneshumari No. 129, Property No. 15030030280152000 5, Measuring East To West 50 Feet And North To South 39 Feet, Formed In Land Bearing Survey No. 1/1, Situated At Gulya Village, Madure Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Comprising Of A Building, And Being Bounded As: **North : Property Belongs To Mr. Veerbhadraiah, South : Property Belongs To Mr. Veerbhadraiah, East : Property Belongs To Mr. Veerbhadraiah, West : Road & Property Belongs To Mr. Veerbhadraiah**

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
IDFC First Bank Limited
(erstwhile Capital First Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)

Date : 11-02-2022
Place : Bangalore.
Loan Account No: 23733081.

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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX- IV-A [See provisio to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" for recovery of below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower/s/Guarantor/s/Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below –

Sr/ Lot No.	Name & Address of Borrower/s/ Guarantor/s	Short description of the immovable property with known Encumbrances, if any	Total Dues	Date & Time of E-Auction	A) Reserve Price B) EMD Amount C) Bid Increase Amount. D) Last Date of Receipt of EMD	A) Status of Possession (Constructive/Physical)	Property Inspection date (With Prior Permission from Authorised Officer)
1	**M/s M L Granites** (Prop M N Manjunath) No 53, 25th Cross, 6th Block, Bangalore - 560011. **A) M N Manjunath,** S/o Late Narayana Gowda, No 29/1D, Biredoddi Village, Bidadi G.P, Ramanagara District - 562109. **B)** No 662, 11th Cross, 7th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore 560082. **C)** No 663, 2nd Cross, Old Post Office Road, 7th Block Jayanagar, Bangalore - 560082.	All that piece and Parcel of The Immovable Property Bearing Old No 146, and later 154 and Present No.50/2, PID No. 51-69-50/2 Situated at Reservoir Road, 51st Division Basavanagudi, Bangalore - 560004, and Measuring East to West 14 Feet and North to South 65 feet Built Up Area 2445 Sq Ft Ground Floor -715 Sq Ft First Floor - 715 Sq Ft Second Floor - 715 Sq Ft Terrace Floor - 300 Sq Ft Built Up Area 2445 Sq Ft Bouded On: East By: Sri Bajanthri Muniyappa's Property West By : Common Passage & B G Nagaraju's Property North: Sri B.G.Vasantha Raju Property South: Reservoir Road Known Encumbrances-Nil	**Branch: Rosarb-South A/C:25940400000018 & 25940600000087 Rs-2,73,10,782.10** As on 02-02-2022 with further Interest from 03.02.2022 along with costs and other charges etc.	**04.03.2022 2.00 PM to 6.00 PM**	**A) Rs.1,01,93,040/- B) Rs.10,19,304/- C) Rs.25,000/- D) On or before E Auction**	**A) PHYSICAL POSSESSION**	**After 20.02.2022 Contact : 080-25584066 (Ext-710) 7483914701**
2	**M N Nagaraju (Guarantor)** S/o Late Narayana Gowda, Katha No 262/130, Dodamaralavadi Village,Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara Dist - 562121						

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm and https://ibapi.in. Also, prospective bidders may contact the authorized officer on Tel No. **080-25584066** (EXT-710) and Mobile No.**7483914701.**

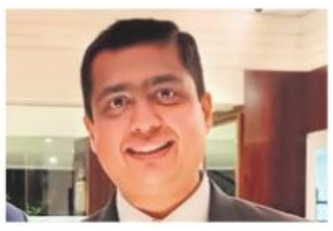
Date: 14.02.2022, Place: Bengaluru **Sd/- Authorized Officer, Bengaluru, Bank of Baroda**

The Karnataka Legislature on Monday condoled the demise of several personalities, including Bharat Ratna Latha Mangeshkar, who passed away recently. Recalling the contributions of playback singer Lata Mangeshkar, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai said she was "one of the best creations of God". "I wish she could be born again," Bommai said

College committee's discretion on uniform mockery of rights: Lawyer

Kamat questions state govt order which says ban on hijab does not violate Statute

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru



THE order issued by the State Government, prescribing uniform in schools and colleges, is totally erroneous and illegal, as it says that a ban on wearing the hijab is not a violation of Article 25 and, at the same time, leaves the decision on the hijab to the discretion of the College Development Committee (CDC) headed by an MLA. This is a mockery of the fundamental right to freedom, senior advocate **Devadatt Kamat**, representing a group of students from Udupi, argued before the Karnataka High Court on Monday.

Continuing his arguments against the Government Order of February 5, before the full bench of Chief Justice Ritu Raj Awasthi and Justices Krishna S Dixit and J M Khazi, which is hearing pleas on the hijab row, Kamat argued that the order was issued under the Karnataka Education Act without application of mind as it says that a ban on wearing the hijab is not a violation of Article 25.

He argued that the students used to wear a headscarf to college for the last two years. This is not a case where the students are insisting on different uniforms. They are saying that they only cover their heads with a scarf of the same colour as the prescribed uniform. The state should facilitate this, he pleaded while pointing out that the respective governments have permitted students to wear a headscarf matching the uniform colours in Kedriya Vidyalayas.

Kamat also pointed out that the order doesn't apply to private minority institutions but only to government institutions. The judgments cited by the State Government in the order have nothing to do with Article 25. Wearing a headscarf does not disturb anybody or create any hindrance. The state is duty-bound to ensure freedom of conscience, he argued.

He contended that the essential religious practice should not be left to the CDC which, he argued, is an extra legal committee as there is no sanction in law.

Request to defer hearing

Two interlocutory applications were mentioned before the court by senior advocate Prof Ravi Varma Kumar. One seeks clarification on the interim order of February 11 while a second one is for deferring the hearing of these petitions till the last phase of elections are over in Uttar Pradesh and other states. The counsel submitted that wide publicity of the case, more so in the social media, will have an adverse effect on polls. However, the CJ said the applications have not been listed. "Every day, we are requesting the media and social media platforms. How can the election be affected by these proceedings? If this request is made by the Election Commission or some authority which is holding elections, then we can consider at an appropriate time", the CJ said before adjourning further hearing to Tuesday.

CJ's request to media

Before resuming the hearing, the full bench headed by the CJ said, "We may make an earnest request to the media that they should be more responsible. Let us make efforts to bring peace and tranquility in the state and let us all be more responsible citizens. We are not saying anything against the media and we are not on that issue also. We are live-streaming the proceedings and request the media to see to its responsibility, which is the fourth pillar of democracy".

HIGHLIGHTS

- A policy will be framed and grants will be released to implement the "Marali Taynadige" scheme to utilise the knowledge of Indians staying abroad
- Piped water to 17.45 lakh households in 2023-24
- Rs 85.86 crore compensation paid to 85,862 flood-hit families. Rs 400 crore paid for house damage. Rs 1135 crore sanctioned as compensation for loss of farm land and crop
- 25,000 beneficiaries identified for micro-irrigation units
- Karnataka ranks first in the country with an installed capacity of 15,374 MW from renewable energy sources
- 32.54 km of second phase of Bengaluru Metro will be completed in 2022-23
- Rs 18 crore for construction of Nirbhaya buildings; Work on women's police outposts in progress

Guv Gehlot praises govt's Covid-19 management

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot addresses the joint session of the legislature in Bengaluru on Monday

THE 10-day session of the Karnataka legislature began on Monday with Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot addressing the joint session of the Assembly and the Council. However, the first day was marred by Congress legislators wearing black band as a mark of protest against the government's handling of the ongoing hijab controversy, among other issues.

In his 45-minute address, Governor Gehlot appreciated the State Government's handling of the pandemic, the ongoing vaccination drive and various other initiatives taken by it to fight Covid-19. "My government has tried its best to handle and mitigate the adverse impact of Covid -19. This crisis has been utilised in a positive manner to effectively implement PM Narendra Modi's concept of Atmanirbhar Bharat by enhancing our capacity and health infrastructure. Notwithstanding the challenges and hardships faced due to the pandemic, my government has successfully managed the same," he said.

The Governor began his speech in Kannada and later switched to Hindi.

He also thanked nurses, doctors, police and other frontline workers and appreciated the government for adopting technology in Covid-19 war room, tele-medicine and patient and home isolation management.

On the vaccination drive, Gehlot said Karnataka has achieved 100 per cent first dose vaccination and 85 per cent of second dose. He also said that the government managed to cope with the third wave by increasing the oxygen production and it was utilising effectively the emergency Covid-19 response package of Rs 840 crore. He said that Karnataka was in the second place in terms of tele-medicine-based health services in the country under the National Health Mission.

Government lacks clear aim and objectives for K'taka's development: Siddu

BENGALURU: The Congress slammed Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot's address to the joint sitting of the Assembly and Council on Monday. "After listening to the Governor's address it is clear that this government lacks clear aim and objectives for the development of the state," Opposition Leader Siddaramaiah said. Accusing the government of trying to mislead people, Siddaramaiah said there is no mention of a huge debt, while there is an attempt to take credit for Central programmes and some programmes started during the Congress government are implemented with new names. The Grama One project started by the government is a copy of Bapuji Seva Kendra started during Congress government, he said. Responding, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai said the Governor highlighted the development in various sectors and details will be provided to the Opposition in the Assembly. "People will decide which is correct and which is not," he said. **ENS**

Hindu Jagarana Vedike seeks NIA probe into hijab row

UDUPI :Stating that the hijab row is an anti-national ploy of separatists, Hindu Jagarana Vedike (HJV) sought a probe by the National Investigation Agency (NIA) into the controversy. Speaking to the media on Monday, HJV state general secretary K T Ullas said that those involved in the hijab issue are not innocent and are being instigated by people who want communal riots. "Two persons arrested from a hijab protest spot for possessing lethal weapons in Kundapur on February 4 proves that there was a plan to create communal tension," he said. Ullas said the six students, who are demanding the right to wear hijab at Women's Government PU College, Udupi, are not innocent. "Popular Front of India, through its student wing Campus Front of India, is carrying out all the activities to damage the harmony in society," he added. Meanwhile, Campus Front of India state president Athaulla Punjalkatte hit back at Women's Government PU College, Udupi-CDC vice president Yashpal Suvarna as he allegedly called the six Muslim students as terrorists. "This is an anti-national behaviour by him to degrade students," he said. Branding them as terrorists is the sick mindset of a BJP leader, he said, demanding the sacking of Yashpal. ENS

HIJAB ISSUE SHOULD HAVE BEEN NIPPED IN THE BUD, SAYS GOWDA

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE hijab issue should have been dealt with proactively by the two national parties and the problems should have been nipped in the bud, former Prime Minister and JDS patriarch **H D Deve Gowda** said on Monday. "Now, there have been so many developments, but all will have to abide by what the court finally decides. Since the matter is before the court, I will not comment about it," the JDS patriarch told the media.

On the possibility of his son and former CM H D Kumaraswamy contesting from Chamundeshwari Assembly segment in Mysuru, Gowda said, "Why should he move out of Ramanagara or Channapatna. He contested from Channapatna and even became CM. It is my desire that he should contest from there again. Ultimately, God will decide where he will finally contest from."

On his grandson Nikhil Kumaraswamy's political prospects, Gowda said, "He is working in the cinema industry and is focusing on films. He is also the president of the JDS Youth Wing. Ultimately, Kumaraswamy will take a decision if he will remain in films or in politics," he said.

Referring to the issue of former civil aviation minister CM Ibrahim joining the JDS, Deve Gowda said, "When it is time for elections to the post of state party president, we will consider him too. Presently, we have a state president who is a six-time legislator. Can he be asked to step down tomorrow morning?" he remarked.

When asked about exodus of some leaders who were openly seeking to move out of the party, he said, "It is not too late for us to work together and build the party. Merely declaring that our aim is 123 seats is not enough."

Zameer apologises after DKS rap

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

CONGRESS MLA **Zameer Ahmed** was condemned from all quarters, including party state unit chief D K Shivakumar, for his remark that rape incidents in India are the highest in the world as women don't follow the 'purdah' system or cover their face with a veil. Shivakumar had also sought his party MLA's apology.

Zameer on Sunday had said that the concept of hijab is to keep girls behind purdah to hide their beauty when they grow up. "Their beauty should not be visible. Rape cases in India have increased because women are not wearing the purdah," he had said.

KPCC president DK Shivakumar said nobody was bigger than the party and demanded an apology from the legislator. "He will have to withdraw his remarks. We have issued him a notice seeking an explanation. This is a foolish statement," he said.

Earlier in the day, Zameer had refused to apologise, saying there is nothing wrong with what he had said. Speaking to reporters in Hubballi, he even accused the media of twisting his statement.

Later, in series of tweets, he said, "... I thought wearing burqa will prevent girls from getting raped. Our ancestors made this to prevent such crimes and I did not have any other intentions. I was only concerned. Education will empower them and let them wear hijab and get education. Do not stop these girls from getting education in the name of hijab. I did not have the intention of hurting anyone. I apologise."

Reacting to the MLA's initial remarks, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai said these kinds of statements showed Zameer's thinking and attitude.

B'luru teacher accused of abusing students quits

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In Bengaluru, a teacher, accused of abusing minority community children verbally and in writing over their religious identity at Vidyasagar Public School in Chandra Layout on Saturday, resigned "on health grounds".

The teacher had allegedly threatened the students that they would be chased out once the Karnataka High Court order comes out.

"The teacher had actually planned on resigning previously, but we had insisted she continue teaching as the syllabus hadn't been completed as yet, however, with the recent issue, she did not come to the school and sent in handwritten resignation letter," said Dr Raju Srinivas, founder of the school.

At the epicentre of the ongoing hijab row, the Women's Government PU College in Udupi, students wore hijab till the campus and removed them before entering classrooms. As Section 144 of CrPC had been clamped in the 200-metre radius of the schools, police personnel kept a strict vigil.

In Kalaburagi and Mysuru there were reports of teachers asking students to remove hijab before entering classrooms. In Kundapur, a government PU college allowed students to wear hijab inside classrooms, as was the practice earlier.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai said a few incidents were reported from different districts and they will discuss and put in place a standard operating procedure.

School managements, principals and the parents have been given the responsibility of obeying the High Court order, Bommai said, adding that it will create a conducive atmosphere for the High Court to deliver its final judgement.

As a precautionary measure, police were deployed at sensitive and high-risk areas.

IN THE HOUSE

Ramesh skips Guv's address

Former minister Ramesh Jarkiholi continued to skip the session and did not turn up for the Governor's address. Though he had also shown up at Union Home Minister Amit Shah's rally during the Goa election campaign, he was conspicuous by his absence in the Assembly even after the SIT has filed a B-report in an alleged sleaze CD case recently. Jarkiholi had also skipped the winter session of the legislature held in Belagavi. "We have not received any letter from him at the Speaker's office seeking permission", said an official.

Ibrahim yet to resign

Senior leader and Congress MLC CM Ibrahim, who had declared that he will be resigning from his MLC seat on February 14, did not turn up in the Council. He has been upset as the leader of the opposition post, which he had lobbied for, went to another senior leader, B K Hariprasad.

GUV TAKES GRAND STEPS

The Governor took the grand steps of the Vidhana Soudha to enter the Assembly Hall on Monday. Speaker Vishweshwara Hegde Kageri said that the custom was stopped nearly two decades ago. "Governors used to take the elevator. This time, we requested Governor Gehlot to take the steps and enter the Assembly Hall," Kageri said. | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

Cong plans to target KSE, raise students safety issue

ENS@ Bengaluru

Congress leader DK Shivakumar, Siddaramaiah and BK Hariprasad at the CLP meeting in Bengaluru on Monday

THE Congress legislature party (CLP), which met under the chairmanship of Siddaramaiah here on Monday, has decided to raise several issues including the 'insult to the national flag' in schools, safety of girl students in educational institutions, especially in the wake of the hijab row, to corner the BJP government in the Assembly session.

While the CLP decided to wait for the Karnataka High Court's verdict on the hijab issue, the party decided to take it as an issue related to education rather than religious or political, sources informed TNIE. Opposition leader in the Council B K Hariprasad suggested that RDPR minister K S Eshwarappa's reported statement on the saffron flag probably replacing the Tricolour in the future, should be raised. "Since his remark is anti-national, we should insist that he be booked for sedition and stringent action be taken against him", he said.

Farmers hold rally, demand repeal of state farm laws

Farmers raise slogans against the State Government in Bengaluru on Monday | SHRIRAM BN

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

DEMANDING repeal of farm laws by the State Government, farmers held a massive rally in Bengaluru on Monday. The protest was withdrawn after Excise Minister K Gopalaiah met the agitators and invited them for a meeting on Friday.

The rally, organsied by Karnataka Rajya Raitha Sangha, commenced from Krantiveera Sangolli Rayanna railway station and proceeded towards Vidhana Soudha. They were, however, stopped by the police near Freedom Park, where they staged a protest.

The agitators demanded that the State Government should also withdraw farm laws on the lines of the Central Government. They demanded repealing of the anti-cattle slaughter Act, APMC Act, Land Reforms Act, and Land Acquisition Act. As the protest continued, Gopalaiah met the farmers at 7.15 pm and assured them of looking into their demands. He also invited them for a meeting at Vidhana Soudha on Friday.

Following this, the protest was withdrawn.

Traffic hit

Traffic was affected owing to the rally. Vehicular movement was blocked on the Sheshadri Road flyover throwing traffic out of gear in and around Anand Rao Circle, KG Road, KR Circle, and surrounding areas.

Kannada activists protest against Cong over Mahadayi

BENGALURU: High drama prevailed in front of Congress leaders Siddaramaiah and D K Shivakumar's residences on Monday after a group of pro-Kannada activists staged a protest. The protesters shouted slogans against the party which has announced the Mahadayi project in its Goa's election manifesto, which is against Karnataka interests. More than 100 protesters, including women, gathered in front of Siddaramaiah's residence on Kumara Krupa Road and D K Shivakumar's house in Sadashivanagar. The High Grounds police and Sadashivanagar police rushed to the spot and took them into preventive custody. They were later released from the stations. **ENS**

The Janata Dal (Secular) will announce the first list of candidates for 2023 assembly elections within six weeks, said former CM H D Kumaraswamy in Mysuru. He said the party has decided to give tickets to leaders who are loyal, and to senior leaders.

ISRO launches Polar Satellite Launch Vehice (PSLV C 52) from Satish Dhawan Space Centre at Sriharihota in Andhra Pradesh on Monday | PTI

ISRO launches EOS-04, with 2 other satellites

PM congratulates scientists on success

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) on Monday successfully launched the Earth Observation Satellite EOS-04 into an intended sun-synchronous polar orbit of 529 km altitude on Monday at 6.17 am after its launch from Satish Dhawan Space Centre, Sriharikota Range (SHAR), Sriharikota, about 80 km north of Chennai.

ISRO's first mission of 2022, launched on board India's Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle PSLV-C52, lifted off at 5.59 am from the first launch pad at SHAR. This was the 80th launch vehicle mission from SDSC SHAR, Sriharikota; 54th flight of PSLV; and the 23rd flight of PSLV in the XL configuration (six strap-on motors).

After EOS-04 separated from the launcher, the satellite's two solar arrays were deployed automatically and ISRO Telemetry Tracking and Command Network (ISTRAC) in Bengaluru assumed control of the satellite. In the coming days, the satellite will be brought to its final operational configuration.

The 1,710 kg EOS-04, which can generate 2,280 watts of power, is a Radar Imaging Satellite designed to provide high-quality images under all-weather conditions for applications such as agriculture, forestry & plantations, soil moisture & hydrology and flood mapping. The satellite with a mission life of 10 years was built at UR Rao Satellite Centre in Bengaluru.

ISRO said the PSLV rocket's stage and strap-on ignitions, the heat shield separation, stages and strap-on separation and satellite injection took place in a copybook style.

After a flight of about 17 mins and 34 sec, EOS-04, INSPIREsat-1 and INST-2TD were injected successfully into a sun-synchronous polar orbit.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi tweeted his congratulations to the space scientists on the successful launch of PSLV C52 mission and injection of the satellites in their respective orbits.

The PSLV-C52 also placed two small satellites – a student satellite (INSPIREsat-1) from IIST, and a technology demonstrator satellite (INS-2TD) from ISRO.

Nixing of gaming ban to create many jobs

ENS @ Bengaluru

THE All India Gaming Federation (AIGF) welcomed the Karnataka High Court's order quashing the ban on online gaming in the state. "As the apex industry body for online skill gaming, AIGF welcomes the High Court order.

Coming in succession of the positive judgments for online skill gaming by the Kerala and Madras High Courts in 2021, this is a step in the right direction to grow for the burgeoning gaming industry," said AIGF Chief Executive Officer Roland Landers.

"India is the fifth largest online gaming market globally and skill-based gaming, a sunrise sector, is giving birth to an increasing number of unicorns within the country, especially Karnataka," he added. According to AIGF, the gaming sector has been a "strong financial contributor to the Indian economy even during an unprecedented period of slowdown and is expected to generate revenues in excess of $3 billion by 2025."

Landers said that with Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman announcing an Animation, Visual Effect, Gaming and Comics (AVGC) task force, the gaming industry looks forward to generating employment, becoming a meaningful contributor. "AIGF and the skill games council of domain experts will be happy to assist various stakeholders in playing a consultative role in the formation of a regulatory framework for the industry," he said.

Last October, the state government, by amending The Karnataka Police Act, 1963, had prohibited playing of games of skill, including online games, which involved risking money or otherwise. The petitioners, including AIGF, had claimed that games such as poker, chess, rummy, fantasy sports are all games of skill.

"The High Court order is yet another validation of what the online skill gaming industry has always maintained; that we are a legitimate business activity," said Dinker Vashisht, vice-president, Corporate and Regulatory Affairs, Games24x7.

'Change within legislative competence'

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THE Karnataka Police (Amendment) Act, 2021, passed by the Karnataka Legislative Assembly and Council on September 21 and 23, prohibits and criminalises playing of games of skill, including online games.

The petitioners contended that the inclusion of skill within the ambit of gaming is beyond the legislative competence of the state.

The state government defended the latest amendments, saying the change is within the legislative competence of the state legislature.

Whether any game is a 'game of skill' or 'game of choice' is a question of fact and can only be ascertained after examining its nature, the state argued.

FIGHTING EPILEPSY

Students and staff of Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Science rally to mark the occasion of international epilepsy day in Tirupati city on Monday | EXPRESS

Transport restrictions took a toll on TN?

ENS @ Chennai

LAST year, a whopping 41.7 per cent more people died due to road accidents in Tamil Nadu compared to the pre-pandemic year of 2019. Provisional data from the State transport department, accessed by TNIE, shows that 14,912 lost their lives in road accidents in 2021, compared to 10,525 in 2019, and just 8,060 in 2020.

The dip in 2020 was not surprising, as stringent lockdown restrictions were in place. But the sudden rise in 2021 has taken officials by surprise. Despite the lockdown, the number of accident fatalities surpassed pre-pandemic levels.

This could be because more people used private vehicles due to the Covid-induced restrictions on public transport, say officials of the transport department. "Many people seem to have made long-distance trips in their vehicles. This could either be to avoid contact with others or due to non-availability of public transport. The spike in accidents could be because many of them lacked knowledge of the road conditions and are inexperienced drivers," said a transport official.

Since the pandemic, more people are using motorcycles to ride hundreds of kilometres between cities such as Chennai and Tiruchy.

EXPRESS READ

Periyar river water turns black

KOCHI: The colour of water in Periyar river turned black near the Eloor industrial area on Monday morning, with a foul smell emanating from it. The discolouration was noticed by fishermen who found fish coming to the water surface for oxygen. The water turned normal after the shutters of the regulator were raised.

Sarma gives proof of surgical strike to KCR, targets Rahul

ENS @ Hyderabad

ASSAM chief minister, **Himanta Biswa Sarma** launched a tirade against his Telangana counterpart, K Chandrasekhar Rao, for seeking evidence of the surgical strike carried out in Pakistan occupied Kashmir (PoK) in September 2016, from the Centre.

Reacting to KCR's statement, on Monday, Sarma tweeted, "On the anniversary of the Pulwama attack, the Opposition has chosen to insult our martyrs by questioning the surgical strike once again". Sarma tweeted along with a video clip of K Chandrasekhar Rao who has supported Congress leader Rahul Gandhi for asking proof of the strikes. The strikes were conducted after a terrorist attack on army men.

"KCR & Cong is (sic) in competition to prove their loyalty to the Gandhi family. Our loyalty is with Bharat. Those questioning the armed forces won't be spared," he added.

On Sunday, Telangana chief minister K Chandrasekhar Rao said at the Press conference: "There is nothing wrong with Rahul Gandhi asking for proof of surgical strikes. What is wrong with that? Even now I am asking ".

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NOTIFICATION FOR ONLINE APPLICATIONS FOR BHMS COURSE

Application forms online are invited from NEET-UG-2021 qualified candidates for admission into BHMS course under Management Quota for 2021-22 in Private Homoeo Colleges affiliated to KNRUHS from **20-02-2022 to 26-02-2022.**

Application forms on line are invited for All India Quota seats from candidates qualified in NEET-UG-2021 for BHMS course 2021-22 in private Homoeo Colleges affiliated to KNRUHS from **16-02-2022 to 20-02-2022.**

For detailed separate Notifications and Prospectus refer to KNRUHS website: **www.knruhs.telangana.gov.in**

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SHORT-TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Only through e-procurement)

MC&A Ltd. invites tender through e-Procurement portal as per KTPP Act, 1999 for Selection of Firms/Consortium to undertake Project Management, Technical and Architectural Consultancy and Quality Control for Construction of New Unit of Marketing Communication and Advertising Limited at KIADB IT Park, Arebinnamangala, Yelahanka, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru. Documents can be obtained from e-Procurement website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** Pre-bid meeting: **21.02.2022 at 11.30 a.m.** Last date for submission of bids: **16.03.2022 up to 4.00 p.m.** Opening of Technical bid: **18.03.2022 at 11.30 a.m.** The management has the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reasons thereon.

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TENDER NOTIFICATION

Ref: 1. Tender Notification No: HFW/KSMSCL/EQPT/70/Hearing Aid/2021-22 Date: 14/02/2022. (IND-915)
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3. Tender Notification No: HFW/KSMSCL/EQPT/72/PBM /2021-22 Date: 14/02/2022. (IND-917)
4. Tender Notification No: HFW/KSMSCL/EQPT/COVID-19/ ESSE/75/21-22 Date: 14/02/2022. (IND-852 Call-2)

Nation wide Tender is invited through **e-tendering system** and Invitation under KTPP Act 1999 and Rules 2000 for the following tenders

1. **Tender for Supply of Hearing Aids under NPPCD Programme (IND-915)**
2. **Tender for Supply of ENT Equipments under NPPCD Programme (IND-916)**
3. **Tender for Supply of Pathological Binocular Microscope under NVBDCP Programme (IND-917)**
4. **Re-Tender for Supply of Endoscopic Sinus Surgery Equipments under NVBDCP Programme (IND-852 Call-2)**

The tenderers who have registered under **E-Procurement Department** may participate through e-tendering system. Details regarding specification EMD, Terms and Conditions and other information are available in the Tender Document, which can be downloaded from the KSMSCL website **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** from **14/02/2022** the eligible tenderers shall submit their e-tenders in e-procurement platform for above mentioned tenders. Further information if any may be obtained from this office during working hours.

Sd/- Managing Director, KSMSCL, Bangalore.

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SHORT-TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(THROUGH e-PROCUREMENT PORTAL)

Short-Term Electrical Tenders are invited through e-procurement portal from the eligible Electrical Contractors, for the electrical works in the prescribed form, consisting of Technical and Financial bid for the HT power supply to extent of 250 KVA Transformer with 200 KV power sanction for the;

(1) Kadaluru SFURTI Coir Cluster, Kadaluru, Maddur Taluk, Mandya District and **(2) Cheluru SFURTI Coir Cluster**, Boragondanahalli, Gubbi Taluk, Tumakuru District, under e-Procurement portal through two cover system (Technical & Financial) as per KTPP Act, 1999. For more short-term tender related information, log on to **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** and search KSCDCL tender for reference. Helpdesk: 080-25501216/227.

Last Date and Time for Receipt of Tenders: **25.02.2022 up to 4.00 pm.** Pre-bid meeting date: **18.02.2022 at 3.00 pm.** Time and Date of Opening of Cover two of Tenders: **28.02.2022 at 11.00 am.** Place of Pre-bid meeting and opening of tenders: Karnataka State Coir Development Corporation Ltd.,SF-4 & SF-5, Sterling Towers (Garment Complex), KSSIDC Industrial Estate, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010. Approximate Value of the Tender; For the **Kadaluru Sfurti Coir Cluster Rs. 12,00,000/-.** Approximate Value of the Tender; For the **Cheluru Sfurti Coir Cluster Rs. 11,00,000/-.**

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SHORT-TERM RE-TENDER NOTIFICATION
(THROUGH e-PROCUREMENT PORTAL)

Short-Term Re-Tenders are invited through e-procurement portal from Coir Machinery Manufacturers in the prescribed form, consisting of Technical and Financial bid for the Supply of 2**Ply Yarn Machines** for the;

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Sd/- Managing Director, K.S.C.D.C. LTD.

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(Through e-Tendering Only)

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NO:CESC/GM(Coml)/DGM(RA-1)/AGM(RA-1)/2021-22/20278 Date: 14.02.2022

SUB: NOTIFICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING OF REVISION OF TARIFF FOR FY-23 OF CESC MYSORE.

Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation Limited, Mysuru (CESC, Mysuru) has filed **"An application for approval of Annual Performance Review for the Financial year 2021 & Application for approval of Aggregate Annual Revenue Requirement (ARR)/Expected Revenue from Charges (ERC) for the 6th Control Period from Financial year 2023 to 2025 and Revision of Tariff for Financial year 2023 before the Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission (KERC)"**

The KERC has scheduled the Public Hearing on the following date, time, and venue to hear the suggestions/comments of interested persons. The summary of the tariff petition is already published in the newspapers. The details are available in the company's website https://cescmysore.karnataka.gov.in

Date & Time of Public Hearing	Venue
17.02.2022 Thursday at 10:30 AM	Court Hall of the Deputy Commissioner's Office, Vinoba Road, Mysuru - 570 001.

The interested persons are requested to attend the "Public Hearing" and submit their suggestions verbally or in writing to the Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission.

Sd/-
General Manager (Commercial), CESC, Mysuru.

DIPR/MYS/KAVITA/D69/2021-22

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE
Office of the Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure-
Traffic Engineering Cell, N.R.Square, Bengaluru - 560 002.

No: EE/RI-TEC/TEND/08/2021-22 Dated: 11.02.2022

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL - SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through **GOK e-Procurement Portal** only)

The Executive Engineer, (RI-TEC) invites tenders from eligible Firms/Agencies/ Contractors for the work of annual maintenance contract for pothole filling on Arterial & Sub Arterial roads in Bengaluru City detailed in the table below.

Package	Appx. Length in KM	No. of Automatic Machine	EMD ₹.in Lakhs
A. Annual Maintenance Contract for Pot holes filling using hot bituminous concrete on Arterial & Sub Arterial roads in Bengaluru City, Pothole filling Machine with inbuilt Chamber for storing Asphalt mix with heating arrangement, in Built spraying gun for bitumen/ emulsion, inbuilt vibratory Compactor of Minimum 10 tons capacity without obstructing traffic. B. Cutting of edges with mechanical road cutting machine etc., complete as directed by Engineer in charge.	180.00	02 Nos	7.5

Calendar of Events: 1) Downloading of RFP Document from e-procurement on **16.02.2022** after **4:00** pm. (2) Date of Pre-Bid Meeting is on **21.02.2022** at **3:30** pm. (3) Last date for submission of Bid Document is **02.03.2022** upto **4:00** pm. (4) Opening of Technical Proposal is **03.03.2022** after **4:30** pm. (5) Opening of Financial Proposals **Will be intimated to the Bidders.** Further details may be obtained from the above office during office hours on working days or from website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure-TEC

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POSSESSION NOTICE

WHEREAS, the authorized officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** (Formerly known as Janalakshmi Financial Services Limited)., under the Securitization And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(2) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued **demand notices** to the borrower(s)/ Co-borrower(s) calling upon the borrowers to repay the amount mentioned against the respective names together with interest thereon at the applicable rates as mentioned in the said notices within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notices, along with future interest as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc incurred till the date of payment and/ or realisation.

<table>
<tr><th>Sr. No.</th><th>Loan No.</th><th>Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor</th><th>13(2) Notice Date/ Outstanding Due (in Rs.) as on</th><th>Date / Time & Type of Possession</th></tr>
<tr><td>1</td><td>31898950002203</td><td>1) Swastik Bakery, 2) Mr. Dasharath, 3)Mrs. Sujatha. D</td><td>05.06.2021 Rs.6,32,651/- as on 06.05.2021</td><td>Date: 09.02.2022 Time: 3.35 p.m. Symbolic Possession</td></tr>
<tr><td></td><td colspan="4"><u>Description of the Property:</u> All that piece and Parcel of the Property Site No.89, Assessment No.128, Khatha No.128, Chikkabanawara Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore. Measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 30 feet and totally measuring 900 Square Feet Bounded on: North: Site No.91, East: Site No.88, South: Kaluve, West: Road.</td></tr>
<tr><td>2</td><td>30198644937520</td><td>1) M/s. Chandu Enterprises, 2) Mr. Raju M K, 3) Ms. H S Komala</td><td>22.09.2021 Rs.58,27,636/- as on 07-09-2021</td><td>Date: 09.02.2022 Time: 12.10 p.m. Symbolic Possession</td></tr>
<tr><td></td><td colspan="4"><u>Description of the Property:</u> <u>Item No.1:</u> All that piece and parcel of western portion property bearing Site No.9, measuring East to West: 50ft and North to South: 70ft, in all measuring 3500 sq.ft Assessment Old No.4/1, New No.4/1A, Katha No.4/1, situated at Makali Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and together bounded on the: West by: Site No.8, North by: Property of Nagappa, South by: Road, East by: Site No.10.
<u>Item No.2:</u> All that piece and parcel of western portion property bearing Site No.10, measuring East to West: 53ft and North to South: 70ft, in all measuring 3710 sq.ft Assessment Old No.4/1, New No.4/1A, Katha No.4/1, consist of 89 square, RCC roofed House, situated at Makali Village, DasanapuraHobli, Bangalore North Taluk and together bounded on the: West by: Site No.9, North by: Property of Nagappa, South by: 20 feet Road, East by: Remaining portion of Same Assessment No.4/1A.</td></tr>
<tr><td>3</td><td>30318640000298</td><td>1) M/s. Shri Shakti Medicals, 2) Mr. Ravi. H. Kunchurkar, 3) Mrs. Vidhya. R. Kundhurkar, 4) Mr. Vijayanand. H. Kunchurkar</td><td>26.04.2021 Rs.30,35,137/- as on 18- 04- 2021</td><td>Date: 10.02.2022 Time: 5.20 p.m. Symbolic Possession</td></tr>
<tr><td></td><td colspan="4"><u>Description of the Property:</u> All that piece and parcel of the Immovable property bearing site no. CTS No.16/9/D, situated at 1st Cross, Timmasagar Gudi, beside Sindhu Hospital, Ward No.3, Vidyanagar 110.29 sq.yards, with all buildings and structures thereon bounded as under: West by: Common passage, North by: Hissa No.3, South by: Hissa No.4, East by: CTS No. 16/10.</td></tr>
<tr><td>4</td><td>30199660001130</td><td>1) M/s. Shree Veerabhadraswami Auto Link, 2) Mr. Naveen Kumar T V, 3) Mr. T P Veerabhadraiah</td><td>05.07.2021 Rs.4,54,443/- as on 29.06.2021</td><td>Date: 09.02.2022 Time: 11.15 a.m. Symbolic Possession</td></tr>
<tr><td></td><td colspan="4"><u>Description of the Property:</u> All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.54, present PID No.040-W0605-9, BBMP No.6565, Assessment No.18/1, Doddabidrakallu, Gramthana Katha No.1263, BBMP Ward No.40, Rajarajeshwari Nagar Division, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk in all measuring East to West 40ft anf North to South 30ft in total 1200 sq.ft. Bounded on the: West by: Site No.40, North by: Site No.53, South by: Site No.55, East by: Road.</td></tr>
<tr><td>5</td><td>32998950000830</td><td>1) Shri Lakshmi Engineering Works, 2) Madan Kumar. K, 3) Kondaiah. N</td><td>05.05.2021 Rs.19,64,229/- as on 18.04.2021</td><td>Date: 09.02.2022 Time: 3.35 p.m. Symbolic Possession</td></tr>
<tr><td></td><td colspan="4"><u>Description of the Property:</u> All that piece and Parcel of the site bearing No.39, formed in Sy.No.16, Abbigere Village, Yeshwanthapurahobli, Bangalore North Taluk measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 30 feet and considering of one floor building bounded on the: East by: Previously site No.40, presently road, West by: Site No.38, North by: Vacant Site, South by: Road.</td></tr>
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Whereas the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors, mentioned herein above have failed to repay the amounts due, notice is hereby given to the Borrower's mentioned herein above in particular and to the Public in general that the authorised officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** has **taken possession** of the properties/ secured assets described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the dates mentioned above. The Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors mentioned herein above in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the aforesaid properties/ Secured Assets and any dealings with the said properties/ Secured assets will be subject to the charge of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited.**

Place: Bangalore
Date: 14.02.2022

Sd/- Authorised Officer
For. Jana Small Finance Bank Limited

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK

(A scheduled commercial bank)

<u>Registered Office:</u> The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071. <u>Branch Office:</u> No.2/1, New No.4, RukminiNilaya, Ground Floor, Near TVS Showroom, Magadi Main Road, Bangalore-560023.

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INCRED FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED

(Erstwhile known as Visu Leasing & Finance Pvt Ltd.)

Registered office at: - Unit No. 1203, 12th floor, B Wing, The Capital, Plot No. C - 70, G Block, Bandra - Kurla Complex, Bandra East, Mumbai - 400 051.

DEMAND NOTICE

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

Under Section 13 (2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (the said Act) read with Rule 3 (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules, 2002 (the said Rules). In exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of said Rule, the authorized officer has issued Demand notices under Section 13(2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrower(s)/Co-borrower/s, to repay the loan amount mentioned in the respective demand notices issued to them. In connection with above, notice is hereby given once again to all the Borrower's/Co-borrower's to pay within 60 days from the publication of this notice, the amounts indicated herein below, together with further interest from the date(s) of Demand Notice till the date of payment. The detail of the Borrower(s) amount due on date of Demand Notice and security offered towards repayment of loan amount are as under: -

Loan Agreement No. / Name of the Borrower(s) / Guarantor (s)	Demand Notice Date and Amount
LNDEL21018-190055985 1. **KANVA EDUCATION TRUST** 2. **MR. N NANJUNDAIAH** 3. **MR. S HARISH** 4. **MR. VIJAYA KUMAR**	**11/01/2022 Rs. 3,99,49,562.18/-** (Rupees Three Crores Ninety Nine Lakhs Forty Nine Thousand Five Hundred Sixty Two and paise Eighteen only)
Description of secured asset(s) (immovable property/ies)	
Propety 1: All that piece and parcel of the property located at G.Nagenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli Koratagere Taluk, Tumkur District, measuring 11 guntas on Eastern side out of 33 guntas & 4 guntas kharab of land comprised in Survey No.87 And **Bounded as:** East : Sy.No.89 **West:** Block – 1 Road **North:** Survey No.81 **South:** Survey No.89	
Propety 2: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Doddenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli Koratagere Taluk, Tumkur District, measuring 31 guntas of land comprised in Survey No.5/3 New S.No.5/10 And **Bounded as:** East : Property of Smt.Devamma **West:** Property of Smt.Dodakka **North:** Property of Smt.Padma **South:** Property of Lakshminarayan swamy & Smt.Devamma	
Propety 3: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Doddenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli Koratagere Taluk, Tumkur District, measuring 2 acre 37 guntas of land comprised in Survey No.5/4 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of Smt.Devamma **West:** Property of Lakshminarayan swamy **North:** Property of Smt.Devamma **South:** Property of Lakshmidevamma	
Propety 4: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Doddenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli Koratagere Taluk, Tumkur District, measuring 2 acre 02 guntas of land comprised in Survey No.8/4 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of Smt.Rathnamma **West:** Property of Smt.Devamma **North:** Property of Smt.Lalithamma **South:** Property of Smt.Devamma	
Propety 5: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Doddenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli Koratagere Taluk, Tumkur District, measuring 4 acre 37 guntas of land comprised in Survey No.8/5 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of Smt.Rathnamma **West:** Property of Smt.Devamma **North:** Property of Smt. Devamma Sy.No.8/4 **South:** Property of Smt.Devamma & katrhanamma	
Propety 6: All that piece and parcel of the property located at G.Nagenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli Koratagere Taluk, Tumkur District, measuring 1 acre 20 guntas of land comprised in Survey No.89/1 And **Bounded as: East :** Doddenahalli Border **West:** Survey No.88 **North:** Block 1 **South:** Survey No.89/2	
Propety 7: All that piece and parcel of the property located at G.Nagenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli Koratagere Taluk, Tumkur District, measuring 2 acre of land comprised in Survey No.89/1 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of Smt.Padma & Sri C.S. Lakshminarayan swamy **West:** Property of K. Shankar & Road **North:** Remaining property in same survey number **South:** Property of Lakshamma & remaining property of same survey number	

Loan Agreement No. / Name of the Borrower(s) / Guarantor (s)	Demand Notice Date and Amount
LNDEL21018-190073169 1. **KANVA STAR RESORT** 2. **MR. N NANJUNDAIAH** 3. **KANVA EDUCATION TRUST** 4. **KANVA MART LIMITED** 5. **MR. M N SRIRAMAREDDY**	**11/01/2022 / Rs. 3,06,68,635.96/-** (Three Crores Six Lakhs Sixty Eight Thousand Six Hundred Thirty Five and paise Ninety Six only)
Description of secured asset(s) (immovable property/ies)	
Propety 1: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Amani GopalaKrishnakere Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 22 guntas of land comprise in survey No.148 And **Bounded as: East :** Road **West:** Property of Srinivas **North:** Property of kenchappa **South:** Property of Narayanappa	
Propety 2: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Amani GopalaKrishnakere Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 27 guntas of land comprise in survey No.147 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of Srinivas **West:** Property of Mohan **North:** Property of kenchappa & Shivanna **South:** Property of Balakrishna	
Propety 3: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Amani GopalaKrishnakere Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 17 guntas of land comprise in old survey No.146 and New Survey No.146/3 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of Srinivas **West:** Property of Mohan **North:** Property of Shivanna **South:** Property of Murali	
Propety 4: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Ajjavara Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 33 guntas of land comprise in Survey No.151/3 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of K.Narayanappa **West:** Property of Kempanna **North:** Property of DoddaKempanna **South:** Property of Indramma	
Propety 5: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Ajjavara Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 27.08 guntas of land comprise old survey No.151/4 and New Survey No.151/5 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of C.Nellappa sy.no.151/3 **West:** Property of Kempanna in sy no.151/4 **North:** Property of Dodda Kempanna **South:** Property of C Nellappa & Munvenatappa	
Propety 6: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Ajjavara Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 7 guntas of land comprise old survey No.150 and New Survey No.150/1 And **Bounded as:** East : Property of sy.no.150/2 **West:** Border of Amani Gopalakrishna kere **North:** Border of Amani Gopalakrishna kere & sy.no.147 **South:** Property of sy.no.149	
Propety 7: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Ajjavara Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 06 guntas of land comprise old survey No.150 and New Survey No.150/2 And **Bounded as:** East : Property of sy.no.150/3 **West:** Property of sy.no.150/1 **North:** Border of Amani Gopalakrishna kere **South:** Property of sy.no.149	
Propety 8: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Ajjavara Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 06 guntas of land comprise old survey No.150 and New Survey No.150/3 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of sy.no.151 **West:** Property of sy.no.150/2 **North:** Border of Amani Gopalakrishna kere **South:** Property of sy.no.149	
Propety 9: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Ajjavara Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 15 guntas of land comprise Survey No.157/2 And **Bounded as:** East : Property of sy.no.157/1 **West:** Property of sy.no.157/3 **North:** Property of sy.no.151 **South:** Property of sy.no.156	
Propety 10: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Ajjavara Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 14 guntas of land comprise Survey No.157/3 And **Bounded as:** East : Property of sy.no.157/2 **West:** Property of sy.no.158 **North:** Property of sy.no.151 **South:** Property of sy.no.158	
Propety 11: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Ajjavara Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 06 guntas and 01 guntas Kharab of land comprise Old Survey No.151 & New Survey No.151/1 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of sy.no.152&153 **West:** Property of sy.no.151/2 **North:** Property of sy.no.152 **South:** Property of sy.no.157	
Propety 12: All that piece and parcel of the property located at Ajjavara Village, Nandi Hobli Chikkaballapura Taluk measuring 12 guntas Kharab of land comprise Old Survey No.151 & New Survey No.151/2 And **Bounded as: East :** Property of sy.no.151 **West:** Property of sy.no.151/3 **North:** Border of Amani Gopalakrishna kere **South:** Property of sy.no.157	

If the said Borrowers fails to make payment to Incred Financial services Limited as aforesaid, IFSL may proceed against the above secured assets under Section 13(2) / 13(4) of the said Act and the applicable Rules, entirely at the risk, cost and consequences of the parties mentioned above.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
For Incred Financial services Limited
(Erstwhile known as Visu Leasing & Finance Pvt Ltd.)

Place : Bangalore
Date : 15/02/2022

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PUBLIC NOTICE

THIS IS TO INFORM THE GENERAL PUBLIC THAT my client **G.N. Nagesh** S/o. Late. Narayana Reddy has lost the original Sale Deeds dated 09.05.2011 (Document No.999/2011), dated 16.09.2011.2011 (Document No. 2159/2011), dated 15.09.2011 (Document No.2160/2011), dated 05.01.2012 (Document No.61/2012) and, dated 08.11.2013 (Document No. 6/2013) all registered at SRO, Polupalli. Whereas, if the above document is found by any person, the same be handed over to my client. And whereas, if any person or institution has any objection, interest, claim or charge in respect of the above title deed, by virtue of the custody of the original or in any other capacity, such claim, objection or interest shall be intimated to my clients or to the undersigned within 7 days of this notice; failing which, it shall be presumed that they are free from all encumbrances or litigation. /ISSUED ON INSTRUCTIONS FROM MY CLIENT AS PART OF DUE DILIGENCE PROCEDURE/

HM MOHAN, ADVOCATE,
No.150/1/6,7th Cross, 22nd Main, Senator 1, HSR Layout, Bangalore-560102.
Mobile: 9448235157, Ph: 080-41224861.
Place: Bangalore Date:14.02.2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify the General Public that my client Sri. Ramesh L. son of Lakshman and Praveen G. son of G. Govind, both are residing at # 492, 2nd Main Road, Kempegowda Swimming Pool, Bhavani Nagar, Bengaluru South, Bengaluru intends to purchase/acquire the immovable property described in the schedule hereto below from its owner Smt. Shruthi Shankar and Soumyagowda both are residing at # 37, The Eden Park Apartment, Yellappa Chetty Layout, Behind Manipal Centre, Ulsoor Road, Bengaluru North. Already my clients entered into agreement for the purchase of the schedule property. If any person has any manner of right, title interest claim or objection for sale of the schedule property may forwards along with documentary proof to the undersigned within 15 days from the date of this publications. If no objections are received, my clients will proposed to purchase the schedule property and any objections received thereafter, shall not be entertained.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the agricultural land bearing Sy. No. 153/2, measuring 1 acre 30 guntas, situated at Byramanagala village, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagara Taluk and District.

Praveen Kumar A., Advocate
District Law Association, Ramanagara-562159, Ramanagara District.
Mobile No. 9901076097

FORM No.3 (See Regulation-15(1)(a))
BEFORE THE HON'BLE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BENGALURU <u>O. A No.768/2021</u>

BETWEEN: Union Bank of India :Applicant
AND : Sri. Jagadish.S :Defendants

<u>SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 BY PAPER PUBLICATION TO DEFENDANT No.1 & 2</u>

WHERE AS, in order to recover the debt, the applicant bank has filed this OA U/s-19 of Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act 1993 against you for recovery of sum mentioned therein together with current and future interest and other reliefs you are hereby directed to appear and file written statement before this Hon'ble Tribunal at 10.30 AM or at such time immediately thereafter according to convenience of Tribunal on **14.03.2022** to answer the claim.

1. A copy of the application and annexures are enclosed herewith. You are directed to collect the same on your appearance before the Tribunal. 2. If you intend to file any documents, you may file the same with list along with the written statement. 3. You should file your registered address and memo of appearance when you enter appearance before the tribunal either in person or by a pleader/Advocate duly instructed. 4. Take Notice that, in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein below, the proceeding will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal, on this 08-12-2021 at Bengaluru.

By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Registrar,
Registrar, DRT-II, Bengaluru

Defendant No.1 and 2
1. **Sri. Jagadish S**, S/o. Sri Ramulu, Aged about 48 years, R/at No. 39, 1st G Cross, JS Nagar, Nandini Layout, Near Sushil Naidu Kalyana Mantapa, Bengaluru-560096.
And Also At Zaxx Unisex Saloon, No.7/1, 2nd stage, West of Chord Road, MahalakshmiPuram, Bengaluru-560086.
And also at Flat No. G-101, Ground Floor, Royal Paradise, Property No. 24, Kadirenahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, BST-560070.
And Also At No.109, 8th B Cross, Near Sushil Naidu Hall, J.S Nagar, Nandini Layout, Bengaluru North, Bengaluru-560096.
2. **Smt. Jayanthi B.S**, W/o. Sri. Jagadish S, Aged about 47 years, R/at No. 39, 1st G Cross, JS Nagar, Nandini Layout, Near Sushil Naidu Kalyana Mantapa, Bengaluru-560096. Ph No. 9945603788.
And also at Flat No. G-101, Ground Floor, Royal Paradise, Property No. 24, Kadirenahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, BST-560070.
And also at Teacher at St Thomas Indian School, No. 34, 3rd main, JS Nagar-560096.

FORM No.3 (See Regulation-15(1)(a))
BEFORE THE HON'BLE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BENGALURU <u>O. A No.766/2021</u>

BETWEEN: Union Bank of India :Applicant
AND : Sri. K. Hemanth Kumar, Smt. S. Uma Devi. :Defendants

<u>SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 BY PAPER PUBLICATION TO DEFENDANT No.1 & 2</u>

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Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal, on this 08-12-2021 at Bengaluru.

By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Registrar,
Registrar, DRT-II, Bengaluru

Defendant No.1 and 2
1. **K. Hemanth Kumar**, S/o. R Krishna Murthy, Aged about 43 years, Flat No. 01, 1st Floor, New No.52, Old No. 1373, 9th Main, DR Raj Road, Srinivasanagar, BSK 1st Stage, Bengaluru-560050.
Ph No. 9342589343 9742397493.
And Also at No.256, Property No. 134/2, Doddathogur Village, Begur Hobli, BBMP ward No. 192, Bengaluru-560100.
And Also At R/at No. 108/1, 4th Cross, Tavarekere-560096.
2. **Smt. Uma Devi,** W/o. K. Hemanth Kumar, Aged about 40 years, Flat No. 01, 1st Floor, New No.52, Old No. 1373, 9th Main, DR Raj Road, Srinivasanagar, BSK 1st Stage, Bengaluru-560050.
And Also at No.256, Property No. 134/2, Doddathogur Village, Begur Hobli, BBMP ward No. 192, Bengaluru-560100.

Can Fin Homes Ltd

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
Sarjapur Road Branch

No. 1569, 2nd floor, HSR Layout
Sector -1, Bangalore-560102
Mob No.7625079161,9164733120
Tel: 080-22583623/43
Web: <u>www.canfinhomes.com</u>
CIN:L85110KA1987PLC008699

<u>SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES</u>
[proviso to rule 9(1)]

SALE NOTICE for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd., Sarjapur Road Branch, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **08/03/2022,** for recovery of **Rs. 45,88,479/-** (Rupees Forty Five Lakh Eighty Eight Thousand Four Hundred And Seventy Nine Only) due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. from **Mr. Prem Anand S &Mrs Mary Jenifa**, as on 09/08/2016, together with further interest and other charges thereon. The reserve price will be **Rs. 38,50,000/-** (Rupees Thirty Eight Lakh Fifty Thousand Only) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs.3,85,000/-** (RupeesThree Lakh Eighty Five thousand Only)

<u>Description of the Immovable Property</u>

Residential Flat bearing Flat No.316, old No.313, 3rd Floor, J Sons Felicia, Singasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk with Super Builtup Area of 1168 Sqft along with UDS of 451 Sqft bounded on North by: Road, East by Property No 9, West by : Private Property, south by Krishnappa's Property.

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of Can Fin Homes Ltd.,(<u>www.canfinhomes.com</u>). Please refer to the following link <u>https://www.canfinhomes.com/Search Auction.aspx</u>

Place: Bangalore
Date: 14.02.2022

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Ltd.,

Can Fin Homes Ltd.

CanFinHomes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK) HOME LOANS • DEPOSITS Translating Dreams into Reality
CIN:L85110KA1987PLC008699

Uttarahalli Branch
127, 3rd Main Road, Brindavan Layout, Padmanabhanagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka 560061
Ph: 080 2639 4003

Notice for sale of immovable properties.
[Under Proviso to Rule 8 (6) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules]

SALE NOTICE for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd, **Uttarahalli Branch,** will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **22.03.2022,** for recovery of **Rs. 51,55,521/-** (Rupees Fifty One Lakh Fifty Five Thousand Five Hundred And Twenty One Only) due to **Can Fin Homes Ltd.** from **Mr Amresh and Mrs Lakshmi E A (Borrowers),** as on **04.09.2017,** together with further interest and other charges thereon. The Reserve Price will be **Rs. 41,00,000/-** (Rupees Forty one lakhs only) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs.4,10,000/-** (Rupees Four lakh ten thousand only)

Description of the Immovable Property

Property bearing no assessment no 161 Block No 2, Site no 122 Kethamaranahalli, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore north, now coming under the limits of BBMP old no.14 present no.67, Vaddarapalya 1st main, 6th cross municipal no 122/25/6, measuring east to west :15 ft, north to south:37ft, totally measuring 555 sqft, together with building thereon bounded on: East by: road, West by: property no. 123, North by: property no.121, South By: road.

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of **Can Fin Homes Ltd., (www.canfinhomes.com).Please refer to the following https://www.canfinhomes.com/SearchAuction.aspx**

Date : 14.02.2022
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/-
Authorised Officer,
Can Fin Homes Ltd.

STATE BANK OF INDIA

RACPC MALLESHWARAM (41161)
No.97, Railway Parallel Road, Kumarapark West, Bangalore -560020
Ph: 080 25943732, 25943720.Fax: 080 25943729/3730
Email Id: racpc.bz1@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Property)

A/c No: HTL- 30059204196

WHEREAS, The undersigned being the Authorized officer of the State Bank of India under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (54 OF 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **03.08.2019** and same was published in Two leading News paper "The New Indian Express and Kannada Prabha" on 21.08.2019 and calling upon the Borrower/s **Sri.Purushotham Neelakantachar S/o Sri. K Neelakantachar** No.830, 5th Main Road, 5th Cross, M C Layout, Vijayanagar, Bangalore-560040 And also at: 1) No.378, IVY Park Lane Winston Salem NC 27104, USA 2) No.I-904 in Nineth Floor of 'I-WING-HERCULES' in "BRIGADE GATEWAY" Industrial Suburb, 'A' Block, Subramanyanagar, Municipal Ward No.9, Rajajinagar Extension (Malleshwaram West), Bangalore and guarantor **Dr. K Neelakantachar** 1) No.830, 5th Main Road, 5th Cross, M C Layout, Vijayanagar, Bangalore-560040 And also at: 2) No.I-904 in Nineth Floor of 'I-WING-HERCULES' in "BRIGADE GATEWAY" Industrial Suburb, 'A' Block, Subramanyanagar, Municipal Ward No.9, Rajajinagar Extension (Malleshwaram West), Bangalore to repay the amount mentioned in the notice **Rs.22,12,414/-** (Rupees Twenty two lakhs twelve thousand four hundred and fourteen only) as on 03.08.2019 + interest from 03.08.2019 + incidental charges within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower(s)/guarantor(s)/mortgager(s) having failed to repay the amount demanded as per Demand Notice, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/guarantors/mortgager and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on **09.02.2022.**

The borrower(s)/guarantor(s)/mortgager(s) in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the State Bank of India for an amount of **Rs.12,62,827/-** (Rupees Twelve lakhs sixty two thousand eight hundred and twenty seven only) as on 03.02.2022 and interest from 04.02.2022 plus expenses thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Section13(8) of the Act, in respect of the time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of Immovable property

<u>LARGER PROPERTY:</u> (Description of Entire Property)

All that Property being Vacant land bearing Municipal Corporation No.26 (formed portion of Municipal Nos.140A, 140B, 140C, 140D & 140A) and Nos.26/1 (formed part of CITB site Nos.140,141,142,143.144 land on eastern side of Site No.140 and Triangular bit of land adjacent to Site No.141 and land in front of Site No.144 (Northern Side), presently clubbed as Municipal No.26/1 popularly known as 'KIRLOSKAR ELECTRIC COMPANY PROPERTY' situated in Industrial Suburb, 'A' Block, Subramanyanagar, Municipal Ward No.9, Rajajinagar Extension (Malleshwaram West), Bangalore and measuring 39.735 Acres equivalent to 17,30,856.6 Sq. feet equivalent to 1,60,800.50 Sq.mtrs. as delineated by red colour lines in the plan annexed to Sale deed dated 28.03.2005 and bounded by: **East by:** Railway Parallel Road-Yeshwanthpur Railway line and properties of M/s.Renaissance Holdings & Developers Pvt. Ltd., and M/s Kirloskar Electric Company Ltd., and the property belonging to Sri. H Vishveshwaraiah, **West by:** Dr.Rajkumar Road and Property belongs to M/s Metro Cash and Carry India Pvt. Ltd., **North by:** National Highway No.4 and property belonging to M/s Metro Cash and Carry India Pvt. Ltd and land belonging to M/s Kirloskar Electric Company Ltd and M/s.Renaissance Holdings & Developers Pvt. Ltd. and **South by:** Vivekananda College and Private Properties.

<u>SCHEDULE 'A' FOR RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS:</u>

All that Property measuring 36,163.87 Sq.Mtrs. forming portion of vacant land bearing Municipal Nos.26 and 26/1, New Municipal No.26/1, situated in Industrial Suburb, 'A' Block, Subramanyanagar, Municipal Ward No.9, Rajajinagar Extension (Malleshwaram West), Bangalore and Bounded by:East By: Railway Parallel Road-Yeshwanthpur Railway line, West By: Dr.Rajkumar Road and remaining portion of larger property, North By: Remaining portion of larger property, and South By: Vivekananda College and Private Properties.

<u>SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY:</u> (Undivided Interest Sold)

202/220213th undivided share, right, interest and ownership in Schedule 'A' Property (which comes to 355 Sq.ft. of land share).

<u>SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY:</u> (APARTMENT)

All that Residential Apartment bearing **No.I-904** in **Ninth Floor** of **'I-WING-HERCULES'** in **"BRIGADE GATEWAY"** built in Schedule 'A' Property and measuring **1675 Sq.ft** of built up area, **345 Sq.feet** of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and all other areas of common use and totally measuring **2020 Sq.ft** of Super built-up area with right to use **ONE** top covered Car Parking Area in the Basement/ Ground level and the Apartment is bounded by**: East By**: Lobby in Ninth Floor in 'I-WING-HERCULES' in "BRIGADE GATEWAY", **West By:** Open towards Open Space in 'I-WING-HERCULES' in "BRIGADE GATEWAY", **North By**: Apartment No.I-906 in Nineth floor in 'I-WING-HERCULES' in "BRIGADE GATEWAY" and **South By**: Apartment No.I-902 in Nineth floor in 'I-WING-HERCULES' in "BRIGADE GATEWAY".

Sd/- Authorized Officer and Chief Manager
State Bank of India,
RACPC Malleshwaram, Bangalore

Place :Bengaluru
Date : 09.02.2022

SBI STATE BANK OF INDIA

Asset Recovery Management Branch
2nd Floor , A Block , BKG Complex Mysore Bank Circle, Avenue Road, **Bengaluru-560009.** Ph 080 25943765/69, Fax 080 22205911, e-mail- **sbi.40564@sbi.co.in**

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule - 8 (1) (For immovable property)

A/c No HL 64088276539

WHEREAS,The Authorised Officer of State Bank of India, Asset Recovery Management Branch, Bengaluru under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **18.11.2021** calling upon the Borrowers**: Smt.Manjula** W/o Shankar and **Sri.Shankar** S/o Kempaiah to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.23,50,157/-**(Rupees Twenty Three Lakh Fifty Thousand One Hundred Fifty Seven Only) as on 18.11.2021 with future interest at contractual rate from 19.11.2021 together with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc.within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers/mortgager having failed to repay the amount as mentioned in the Demand Notice, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/mortgager and the public in general that the undersigned, being the Authorised Officer of the State Bank of India, ARMB, Bengaluru has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on **14.02.2022.**

The borrowers/mortgagerin particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of State Bank of India for an amount of **Rs.23,95,477/-** (RupeesTwenty Three Lakh Ninety Five Thousand Four Hundred Seventy SevenOnly) as on 01.02.2022 and further interest at contractual rate from 02.02.2022with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc thereon.

The borrowers/mortgager'sattention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of property bearing Assessment No.77/334/22/1 4/5A situated at Nataraja Badavane, Ward No.1 of Magadi Town Municipality, Ramanagara District measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 40 feet, totally measuring 1200 Sq.ft. with building there on standing in the name of Smt. Manjula W/o Shankar and bounded on East by: Road, West by: Property of Smt.Manjula W/o Kemparaju, North by: Property of Lathanandeeshappa and South by: Property of Jagadeesh.

Sd/- Authorised Officer
State Bank of India,
Asset Recovery Management Branch, Bengaluru

Date :14.02.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Can Fin Homes Ltd

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
Begur Branch

No.2 & 4, 1st Floor, Shanthi Priya Layout
Devarachikkanahalli Road,
Behind Begur Govt. High School,
Bangalore 560068.Tel:25740123/7625079200
Email:begur@canfinhomes.com
CINL85110KA1987PLC008699

SALE NOTICE

[proviso to rule 9 (1)]
Sale notice for sale of immovable properties

SALE NOTICE for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd., Begur Branch, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **09.03.2022,** for recovery of **Rs.26,69,193/-** (Rupees Twenty six Lakhs Sixty Nine Thousand One Hundred and Ninety Three Only) due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. from **Late Mr.Kannan S and Late Mrs.Kalpana S (Borrowers) both represented by Mrs.Muthammal S (legal heir)**, as on 01/10/2019, together with further interest and other charges thereon.

The reserve price will be **Rs.20,00,000/- (**Rupees Twenty Lakhs Only) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs.2,00,000/-** (Rupees Two lakhs only).

<u>DESCRIPTION PROPERTY</u>

<u>SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY:</u> All that piece and parcel of the property site No.9, bearing Village Panchayat Katha No.342/1225/9, Property No.150200103200101978, which is formed in converted Sy no.25/2A vide conversion order No.BDS.ALN.SR(A).176/1996-97, Dated: 11.02.1997, issued by the Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District, Bangalore, situated at Yarandahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, measuring East to west (75+65)/2 feet and North to South 60 feet, in all measuring 4200 sqft and bounded on: East by : Road, West by :Private Property, North by:Site No.10, South by: Site No.8.

<u>SCHEDULE B' PROPERTY:</u> All that piece and parcel of residential Apartment bearing Flat No.G-01, Ground Floor of "SRI SAI GAGANA RESIDENCY, constructed on Schedule 'A' property, alongwith 262.5 square feet of undivided share right, title and interest in the land comprised with parking space in the multistoried building constructed on schedule 'A' property, measuring 1000 Square feet of built up area having RCC roofing vitrified tiles flooring, alongwith sanitary and electrical connection with one covered car parking in basement and bounded on the: East by : Road, West by : Common Area and Flat No.G-04, North by: Private Property , South by : Flat No .G-02**.**

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of Can Fin Homes Ltd., (<u>www.canfinhomes.com</u>). Please refer to the following link <u>https://www.canfinhomes.com/Search Auction.aspx</u>

Date:14.02.2022
Place:Bangalore

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Ltd.

FORM B
PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

(Regulation 12 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (Liquidation Process) Regulations, 2016)

FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE STAKEHOLDERS OF ALPINE WINERIES PRIVATE LIMITED

Sl.No.	PARTICULARS	DETAILS
1.	Name of corporate debtor	ALPINE WINERIES PRIVATE LIMITED
2.	Date of incorporation of corporate debtor	16/03/2005
3.	Authority under which corporate debtor is incorporated / registered	Registrar of Companies, Karnataka
4.	Corporate Identity No. / Limited Liability Identification No. of corporate debtor	CIN : U01551KA2005PTC035845
5.	Address of the registered office and principal office (if any) of corporate debtor	Registered Office : 33/1 Sapthagiri Arcade, II Floor, 8th Cross, Wilson Garden, H Siddaiah Road, Bangalore
6.	Date of closure of Insolvency Resolution Process	December 12, 2021 (Copy of order received on February 14, 2022)
7.	Liquidation commencement date of corporate debtor	December 12, 2021 (Copy of order received on February 14, 2022)
8.	Name and registration number of the insolvency professional acting as liquidator	RAVINDRANATH NARAYANA RAO Reg No. IBBI/IPA- 001/IP-P00645 /2017-18/11099
9.	Address and e-mail of the liquidator, as registered with the Board	RAVINDRANATH NARAYANA RAO # 522/C, 1stD, Cross Road, 15th Main, 3 Stage, 4 Block, WCR, Basaveshwaranagar Bangalore 560079 ravishendige@gmail.com
10.	Address and e-mail to be used for correspondence with the liquidator	RAVINDRANATH NARAYANA RAO # 522/C, 1ST D, Cross Road, 15th Main, 3 Stage, 4 Block, WCR, Basaveshwaranagar Bangalore – 560 079 <u>cirpawpl@gmail.com</u>
11.	Last date for submission of claims	March 16, 2022

Notice is hereby given that the National Company Law Tribunal Chennai Bench, has ordered the commencement of liquidation of the ALPINE WINERIES PRIVATE LIMITED on December 22, 2021

The stakeholders of ALPINE WINERIES PRIVATE LIMITED are hereby called upon to submit their claims with proof on or before March 16, 2022, to the liquidator at the address mentioned against item No.10.

The financial creditors shall submit their claims with proof by electronic means only. All other creditors may submit the claims with the proof in person, by post or by electronic means.

Submission of false or misleading proof of claims shall attract penalties.

Name and signature of liquidator:
Sd/-
RAVINDRANATH NARAYANA RAO

Place: Bengaluru
Date: February 15, 2022

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IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I FOR KARNATAKA

FIRST FLOOR JEEVAN MANGAL BUILDING, 4, RESIDENCY ROAD, BENGALURU- 560025

O.A. NO.629/2019

BETWEEN
State Bank of India ...APPLICANT
AND:
Mrs. Anusuya ...DEFENDANT

Summons issued under Rule 23(viii) of the Debt Recovery Tribunal (Procedure) Rules, 1993 to the defendants

Whereas, the Applicant has instituted an application U/S 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Bank and Financial Institutions Act, 1993, against you for the recovery of sum **Rs.11,49,674 /- (Rupees Eleven Lakhs Forty Nine Thousand Six Hundred and Seventy Four Only) as on 23/04/2019** together with current and future interest and other reliefs.

You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication of this summons or **on 02/06/2022 at 10:30 A.M** in person or by a Pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on this **09th day of February, 2022**

Signatur of the Registrar DRT-I
Authorized to Issue Summons

To
The Defendant :
Mrs. Anusuya, W/o Mr.Manjunath, No.426 D, 12th Main, 7th A Cross, A Sector, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore - 560 064

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase the below mentioned Schedule Property from, Mrs PREETH CARIAPPA w/o Late Cariappa & Mr K.C. UTHAPPA s/o Late K.M. Cariappa, are the absolute owners in joint possession of Schedule property. If any persons has any claim, right, title or interest in the Schedule Property or any objection to the proposed sale, the same may be communicated to the undersigned along with supporting documents within 07 days from this day, to the undersigned. If no such claims are received within the above said period my client will proceed to purchase the schedule property treating as there is no claim whatsoever to the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and Parcel of the Residential Flat bearing No.206, BBMP Katha No.554/212/213/749-11 SF-206, Second Floor, comprising of Three BHK, having a super built-up area of 1791 Sq Feet with RCC roofing, ceramic flooring, with one covered car Parking space in the basement Floor bearing No.206, in the Project **"R & S WOOD SIDE APARTMENT"**, having constructed in the Residential Converted Sy NO.7, situated at Hennur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District.

SATHYANARAYANA .G, Advocate
NO.84, 8th Main, 9th Cross,
Sadashivanagar, Bengaluru-560 080.
Ph: 9343080908 Dt:15.02.2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that my client **G. VASANTH KUMAR** S/o Govindaswamy Gopal, R/at No. P106, 3rd Cross, Nagappa Block, Metro Station, Bengaluru - 560 021 has entered into a Agreement of Sale, dated 27-01-2022 with **MEENAKSHI MUTHIAH,** D/o Late C. Muthaiah, R/at No. 227, 39th 'C' Cross, 9th Main, Jayanagar 5th Block, Bengaluru - 560 041, for purchasing immovable property Vacant Site No. 119, formed in Sy.No. 26P, 93, 117 & 124, in the layout formed by the Gavipura Extension House Building Co-Operative Society Limited, situated at Nagadevanahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk.

Any person having any right or title or interest in the property mentioned in the Schedule hereunder may approach the undersigned within **7 days** from the date of this public notice with documentary proof of their claim. Otherwise my client shall proceed with Registration of Sale and my client shall not be held responsible for any claim whatsoever.

SCHEDULE

All the piece and parcel of the Vacant Site No. 119, PID No. 6000028143, formed in Sy.No. 26P, 93, 117 & 124, in the layout formed by the Gavipura Extension House Building Co-Operative Society Limited, situated at Nagadevanahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, measuring East to West: 18.44 meters and North to South: 12.20 meters, in all measuring 224.96 square meters and bounded on:

East by: Site No.129 and 130, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Site No.120, **South by:** Site No.118.

N.K. LAKSHMANA AND ASSOCIATES
#111, 1st Stage, 1st Main, K H B Colony,
Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore.
Mobile: 9448084561, 9972754458

IN THE COURT OF THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, BENGALURU RURAL DISTRICT AT BENGALURU

CRL. MISC. No. 9/2022

BETWEEN: 1. Sri. Rangappa S/o Late Muniyappa, aged about 72 Years. **2. Smt. Vekatamma** D/o late Rangappa, aged about 66 years, **3. Sri Dinesh Rangappa,** S/o Rangappa, aged about 38 years, all are R/at Lingarajapura Village, Shivakote Post, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bengaluru District. ... **PETITIONERS**

AND: The Tahashildar, Yelahanka Taluk, Yelahanka, Bengaluru. ... **RESPONDENT**

NOTICE

Whereas the Petitioners have filed above Petition for obtaining Death Certificate of **Late. Thimmakka W/o Late Muniyappa,** (mother of petitioner No.1 and 2 and grandmother of Petitioner No.3, who died on **27-07-2009** at Lingarajapura Village, Shivakote Post, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bengaluru District. If there are any persons having claim, they may appear before Court in person or through Pleader on **19-02-2022** at 11.00 A.M., failing which the Petition will be disposed off according to law.

Given under my hand & the seal of the Court on 25-01-2022.

By order of the Court, Sheristedar, Court of Chief Judicial Magistrate, Bangalore Rural District, Banglaore.

Advocate for Petitioners: **Sri. Prasanna Kumar T.N.**
No.4, 1st Floor, "Ayodhya Complex" Mini Vidanasoudha Road, Yelahanka Bengaluru — 560 064.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to General Public that my clients Sri. C. H. Siddarujuand Sri. C. H. Ramesh Gowda, presently residing at Chikkabidarakallu Village have lost the original sale deed Executed by Sri. Nagaiah S/o. Sri. Ramaiah, in favour of Sri. Hanumantharayappa, registered as document no. 2089/1964-1965, Book I, Volume no.1068, at pages 56 to 59, on 11/11/1964, in the office of Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala related to schedule mentioned below and the same is not traceable. If found inform to Smt. B. Mallika, Advocate, No. 203, 2nd floor, Saraswathipuram Main Road, Nandinilayout, Bangalore- 560 096, within eight days from the date of publication..

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the portion of property being the dry land bearing Sy. No. 18, Block No.02, subsequent Sy. No. 18/5 and present Sy. No. 18, measuring 04 acres situated at Kuduregere Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, and bounded on the :

East by : Border of Thotadaguddadahalli Village and 30 ft Road;
West by : Property of Sri. Nanjappa;
North by : Remaining portion of Sy. No.18;
South by : Property of Sri. C. J. Rathnamshetty.

MALLIKA.B, Advocate
No. 203, 2nd Floor,
Saraswathipuram Main Road,
Nandinilayout, Bangalore- 560 096.
Ph: 9742658187

BANK OF BARODA

Girinagar Branch, #5, 50 Feet Rd, Avalahalli,
Banashankari Stage I, Banashankari,
Bengaluru-560026 E-mail: vjgina@bankofbaroda.com

POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY) APPENDIX IV under Act- Rule 8(1)

Whereas, the under signed being the Authorised Officer of Bank of Baroda, under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act No. 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued demand notices dated calling upon the following Borrowers/Guarantors/ Mortgagers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice with further interest / cost etc,. within 60 days from the date of the said notice. Details of demand notices such as date of issue and loan outstanding amount are mentioned against each borrower under.

1. Name of the Borrowers: M/s A M Motors represented by its partner Mr. Mahadeva S S/o Sri Sivanna & Mr. Ajay M S/o Sri S Mahadeva, having place of business at 3192, Harohalli Village Harohalli Hobli Kanakpura Tq, Ramnagara District
Demand notice dated :01.10.2021 Possession Notice Date : 11.02.2022
Total amount mentioned in the notice: Rs.20,48,626.02 (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Forty Eight Thousand Six Hundred twenty Six and Paisa two Only) and interest thereon at the contractual rate plus cost, charges and expenses till date of payment.
Description of the Property : Site No. 72, Khata No. 291/122/72, East to west 40ft and north to south 30ft, Manchanayakanahalli Village(Poorna Nagar)Ramanagara Taluk and district. Bounded on: East by- Road West by- Site No. 77, North by-Site No. 73, South by- Site No.71

2. Name of the Borrowers: Mr. Mahadeva S S/o Sri Sivanna, proprietor of **M/s Ajay Motors** Having place of business at 319/1, opp: BHEL factory, Mysore Road, Bengaluru-560026
Demand notice dated :01.10.2021 Possession Notice Date : 11.02.2022
Total amount mentioned in the notice: 73,81,445.7 (Rupees Seventy Three Lakhs Eighty One Thousand Four Hundred Forty Five and Paisa Seventy Only) interest thereon at the contractual rate plus cost, charges and expenses till date of payment.
Description of the Property : (I) Site No. 70, Khata No. 291/122/70, East to west 40ft and north to south 30 ft, Manchanayakanahalli Village(Poorna Nagar) Ramanagara Taluk and district. Bounded on: East- Road, West- Site No. 79, North by:Site No. 71, South by: Site No.69
(II) Site No. 71, Khata No. 291/122/71, East to west 40ft and north to south 30 ft, Manchanayakanahalli Village (Poorna Nagar) Ramanagara Taluk and district. Bounded on: East- Road, West- Site No. 78 North by: Site No. 72, South by: Site No.70

3. Name of the Borrowers: Mr. Late Mahendra Kumar Gowda & Mrs. Vijayagunasheela A C
Demand notice dated :01.10.2021 Possession Notice Date : 09.02.2022
Total amount mentioned in the notice: 28,29,257.23 (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakhs Twenty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Seven and Paisa Twenty Three Only) and interest thereon at the contractual rate plus cost, charges and expenses till date of payment.
Description of the Property : Schedule "A" Property: Sy No. 83, 2 acres, Hosakerahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk Now BBMP. Bounded on: E-Storm Drain , W-PES College Boundry N-Remianing portion of Property bearing Sy No. 83, S-storm Drain
Schedule "B" Property: 1063 Sq ft undivided share right , interest and ownership in schedule "A" property which shall bear the same proportion to the super built up area of the schedule "C" apartment as the total land area in the schedule "A" property to the total super built up area constructed on the said schedule "A" property in the accordance with relevant approvals.
Schedule "C" P`roperty : All that part and parcel of the apartment bearing No. 303 in Block F, Third Floor of 'Skyline Ambrosia' constructed in schedule " A" property measuring 1616 sq feet of super built up area and terrace area of 1034 sq fett inclusive of proportionate share in common areas such as passage, lobbies, lift, staircase, and other area of Common Use and One Car Parking.

4. Name of the Borrowers: Mrs. Vijaya Kumari M W/o Sri S Mahadeva, **Proprietor of M/s Ajay Mobikes** having place of business at Nondi Complex Kenchanguppe,Gate , Bidadi, District & Taluka Ramanagara
Demand notice dated :01.10.2021 Possession Notice Date : 11.02.2022
Total amount mentioned in the notice: 31,26,476.21 (Rupees Thirty One Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand four hundred seventy six Paisa twenty one Only) and interest thereon at the contractual rate plus cost, charges and expenses till date of payment.
Description of the Property : Site no. Khaneshumari No. 7/5 Old No. 5/5 1824 sq ft, Main Road, Bidadi Town, Ramanagra Taluk. Bounded on-East : Property of Krishnaiah and Ravindra, West : Property of Jeevan Prakash, North : Road, South Conservancy Lane

The above borrowers / Mortgagers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagers and the public in general that the under signed has taken possession of the properties described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said act read with the rule 8 of the said Rules on above dates The Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of Bank of Baroda thereon cost. The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Date: 11.02.2022
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- (Kundan Kumar Kushwaha)
Chief Manager cum Authorised Officer
Bank of Baroda

kotak Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited

Regd office: 27BKC, C 27, G Block, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051
Corporate office: Kotak Infiniti, Bldg No 21, Infinity Park, General AK Vaidya Marg, Malad (E), Mumbai – 400 097 www.kotak.com

AUCTION - NOTICE

That the below mentioned Borrower/s had availed gold loan facility against security of the gold ornaments/ items, as specified below. The Borrower/s defaulted in due repayment of the instalments and outstanding dues and as a result of which the Bank was constrained to issue notices calling upon the Borrower/s to repay the outstanding amounts. However, the Borrower/s has failed to repay/clear his outstanding dues thereby compelling the Bank to auction the gold ornaments pledged in favour of the Bank.

The auction of the below mentioned gold ornaments would be held at :- Respective Branches
Date: 25.02.2022 Time: 11.00 AM

Apac	Account No	Borrower Name	State	Location	Branch	Gr. wt (Gms)
GLN2093781	GLN2093781	Mohammed Usman	Karnataka	BANGALORE	AVENUEROAD	24.72
GLN1962473	GLN1962473	Ambrin Khan	Karnataka	BANGALORE	FRAZERTOW	109.11
GLN2052461	GLN2052461	Maheswari M	Karnataka	BANGALORE	FRAZERTOW	16.18
GLN2063002	GLN2063002	Imtiyaz Ahmed	Karnataka	BANGALORE	FRAZERTOW	113.32
GLN1827304	GLN1827304	Sana Faisal Rizvi	Karnataka	BANGALORE	INFANTRYR	61.76
GLN1827284	GLN1827284	Sana Faisal Rizvi	Karnataka	BANGALORE	INFANTRYR	266.3
GLN1826429	GLN1826429	Sana Faisal Rizvi	Karnataka	BANGALORE	INFANTRYR	259.51
GLN1826732	GLN1826732	Sana Faisal Rizvi	Karnataka	BANGALORE	INFANTRYR	360.84
GLN1809763	GLN1809763	Asma Anwari	Karnataka	BANGALORE	INFANTRYR	42.06
GLN2029030	GLN2029030	Afra Shawana	Karnataka	BANGALORE	INFANTRYR	164.43
GLN1822888	GLN1822888	Rasmitha Dash	Karnataka	BANGALORE	JPNGR2	218.49
GLN2090345	GLN2090345	Muhammed Favas K	Karnataka	BANGALORE	KAMNHALI	14.25
GLN1901438	GLN1901438	Shobha Y	Karnataka	BANGALORE	MALESWARA	60.88
GLN1807964	GLN1807964	Shobha Y	Karnataka	BANGALORE	MALESWARA	421.83
GLN1806370	GLN1806370	Shobha Y	Karnataka	BANGALORE	MALESWARA	502.46
GLN1579740	GLN1579740	Mohamed Riyaz Ahamed	Karnataka	BANGALORE	MALESWARA	26.43
GLN1830165	GLN1830165	D V Harinath	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RAJAJINAGA	617.17
GLN2066304	GLN2066304	D Dhanalakshmi	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RAJAJINAGA	20.14
GLN1928053	GLN1928053	Harsh R Kotecha	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RAJAJINAGA	33.78
GLN2100287	GLN2100287	Pavan Kumar N	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RAJAJINAGA	48.2
GLN1801617	GLN1801617	Pavan Kumar N	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RAJAJINAGA	47.42
GLN1840732	GLN1840732	Pavan Kumar N	Karnataka	BANGALORE	RAJAJINAGA	56.02
GLN1800915	GLN1800915	Narendra Bairwa	Karnataka	BANGALORE	THIPASANDR	20.7
GLN1967517	GLN1967517	Chukka Mutyalanaidu	Karnataka	BANGALORE	THIPASANDR	10.9
GLN2068267	GLN2068267	Manoj Kumar N	Karnataka	BANGALORE	VIJAYANAGA	51.79
GLN1976431	GLN1976431	M Naga Malleshwar Rao	Karnataka	BANGALORE	VIJAYANAGA	39.26

Bidders are requested to Submit a copy of their Photo – identity, signature and address proof along with their original for verification together with two recent photographs on the day of auction. The Bank reserves the right to change the venue/date/time of auction or cancel the auction without any notice to bidders.

The cost of the auction process will be debited to the customer account. Bank reserves the right to recover the balance amount from the customer if the bid amount is insufficient to meet the payoff amount of the account.

For any further details regarding the terms and conditions of the auction, you are required to contact the below mentioned person/s.

Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd.
Ph - 8197072323

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **Dr. GAIKWAD PANDIT A,** aged about 52 years, Son of Sri. Late Arjun Rao, residing at No.432, Asha Geetha Nilaya 1st Main, 1st Cross, Shivashankar Block, Hebbal, Bengaluru North H.A. Farm, Karnataka-560 024, intends to purchase the below mentioned property from **Sri. P.S. SUBRAMANYA,** aged about 65 years, Son of Sri.P.R.Suryanarayana Bhatt, residing at No.31, 1st Cross, Telecom Layout, Srirampura, Jakkur (Post), Bangalore North, Bengaluru-560064.

Any person/s, Banks/Financial institutions or any other authority concerned having or claiming any manner of right, title, lien or interest or objection in to or upon the Schedule Property and its else may intimate the same in writing supported by documentary evidence to the undersigned within SEVEN DAYS from the date of publication hereof, failing which all rights or claims, if any, shall be deemed to have been waived and my client will proceed with the conveyance and obtain the Deed of Absolute Sale of the Schedule Property as if no valid claims are subsisting against the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of residential Vacant Site bearing No.350, (old CMC Katha No.46/II/350, in the layout plan approved by Bangalore Development Authority, formed in various Survey Numbers of Kodigehalli, Byatarayanapura and Kothihosahalli Villages), Situated at N T I Layout, Phase II, Rajeev Gandhi Nagar, Bengaluru-560 092, measuring East to West 62 + 60/2 feet and North to South 34+48/2 feet, totally admeasuring 277.88 Square Yards (2501 Square feet), including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto and bounded on the:

EAST: Road; WEST: Site No.349; NORTH: Road; and SOUTH: Site No.351.

A.P. Gururaju, Advocate
No. 2919/9, 13th Main Road,
D Block, 2nd Stage, Rajajinagar,
Mobile No. 99801 00658

PUBLIC NOTICE

Originally Late Smt. Lakshmi wife of Late Sri. Basavaiah, was the sole and absolute owner of the Immovable Residential Property Bearing New Municipal Corporation No. 153/2, Situated at 4th Cross, Devarajurs Nagar, Mysore Road, BANGALORE- 560026, In B.B.M.P. Ward No.136 (43), died on 16.05.2009 at Bangalore, during her life time, she was executed a Registered Will Vide Document as No.SRI-3-00191-2004-05, CD. No. SRID 25 dated 03.11.2004, Registered in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Srirampuram, Bangalore City, bequeathing the schedule property in favour her son **Venkatesh.T** and her grand children namely Kumari **Kumuda. V. and Mr. Raju, V.** And my client **Mr. SYED GHOUSE MOUDDIN** S/o Mr. Syed Iqbal Hussain Residing at No. U 22, 8th Main Road, Padarayanapura, BANGALORE- 560026 has intent to purchase the schedule property from the present joint owners, Hence this Notice to the General Public are hereby informed that if anyone or any person/s having asserting any right, title, interest, or claims, intending to oppose the purchase in any manner whatsoever, may file their objections with documentary proof within 7 days hereof, where after, no such claims or objections will be entertained, and my client shall proceed for sale transaction in respect of the schedule property with the present joint owners.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Residential Property Consisting of Ground , and First Floor Premises Bearing New Municipal Corporation No. 153/2, Old No. 153, Situated at 4th Cross, Devarajurs Nagar, Mysore Road, BANGALORE-560026, in B.B.M.P. Ward No.136 (43), PID.No.43-31-153/2, (Formerly No.153, Hindu Burial Ground, Mysore Road, Bangalore-26 belonged to Bangalore City Corporation Division No.23), Measuring East-West 20-0 (twenty) feet, North-South 25-0 (twenty five) feet, And Bounded on the **East by:** Property Number 152, **West by:** Property Number 154, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Property Number 150.

HAFEEZULLA KHAN .M,
ARIFULLA KHAN, Advocates
#11/9, Bowring Hospital Road, Shivajinagar, Bangalore-560001. Mob: 94480 71528/ 94491 08941 Date: 14-02-2022

IN THE COURT OF LVIII ADDL. CITY CIVIL & SESSIONS JUDGE AT BANGALORE

P&SC No. 650/2019 (CCH-59)

PETITIONERS:

1) Smt. JAYALAKSHMI S.V., W/o. Late Sri. Venkatachala Iyengar.S., Aged about 75 years. Residing at No.9/5, 8th Main Road, 7th Block, 4th Phase, 3rd Stage, Banashankari 3rd Stage. **Bangalore-560085.**

2) Sri. MADHUSUDAN Venkatachalam, S/o. Late Sri. Venkatachala Iyengar.S., Aged about 53 years, Residing at No.9/5, 8th Main Road, 7th Block, 4th Phase, 3rd Stage, Banashankari 3rd Stage. **Bangalore-560085.**

3) Sri. SANTOSH Venkatachalam, S/o. Late Sri. Venkatachala Iyengar.S., Aged about 46 years, Presently residing at No.101, Churchfield Way, **INGLEBY BARWICK-TS175AW.(U.K).** Rep. by his brother Power of Attorney Holder (Mr. Madhusudan Venkatachalam (Petitioner No.2 herein).

-V/s- RESPONDENTS: --NIL--

PUBLIC NOTICE

WHEREAS, the above named parties have made petition to this Court under Sec. 372 of Indian Succession Act 1925, for grant of Succession Certificate in favour of the petitioners, in respect of Schedule mentioned below. The below mentioned schedule was held by Late Sri. Venkatachala Iyengar. S. @ Venkatachalam.S. the husband of Petitioner No.1 and father of Petitioners No.2 & 3 herein who expired on 31-03-2021.

Interested parties are hereby called to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed **on 25.03.2022 at 11.00 a.m.** inform to show cause against the petitioners, failing wherein the appearance will be heard and declared as ex-parte.

SCHEDULE

Sl. No.	Name of the Company	No. of Shares held	Present market Value of Shares
1.	E.I.D. Parry (India) Ltd.,	1000	4,82,050
2.	Coromandel International Ltd.,	330	2,84,757
3.	Reliance Petrochemicals Ltd.,	200	26,000
	TOTAL MARKET VALUE OF SHARES		7,92,807

Given under my hand and seal of the Court, this 14th day of February 2022

By Order of the Court,
Sd/- Assistant Registrar,
City Civil Court, Bangalore

N.V. Muralidhar, ***Advocate,***
No.48, II Cross, Nrupathunganagar,
J.P. Nagar, 7th Phase, Bangalore-560 076.

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Retail Assets Central Processing Centre (RACPC) – II, Koramangala
No. 12, 7th Main, 3rd Block, Koramangala, Bangalore -560 034.
Tel: 080 -25943803, Fax: 080 -25943800, E mail: maintracpc2.ban@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Properties)

WHEREAS, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the State Bank of India under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notices calling upon the following borrowers/mortgagors to repay their loan amount mentioned in their respective demand notices with further interest +incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of the said notices. The details of demand notices such as name and address of the borrowers/mortgagors, date of issue, loan outstanding amount, description of secured assets including present loan outstanding etc., are furnished hereunder:

1. **Name & Address of the Borrowers/Mortgagor: (1) Mr. Sampangappa N, (2) Mrs. Kantha M,W/o. Mr. Sampangappa N, Both residing at: (i)** No.4/1, Haragadde Village,Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Jigani, Bengaluru – 560105, **(ii)** No.129, Haragadde,Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk,Bengaluru Urban, Bengaluru – 562106,
No.GWR/10514/HL/395 A/c. No.65251665829
Demand Notice Date:05.03.2019
Loan Outstanding amount as per Demand Notice: Rs.31,38,161/- (Rupees Thirty One Lakh Thirty Eight Thousand One Hundred Sixty One Only) as on 01.03.2019 + interest from **02.03.2019**+ incidental expenses thereon.
Possession taken date : 10.02.2022
Present Loan Outstanding: Rs.30,94,382/- (Rupees Thirty Lakh Ninety Four Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Two Only) as on **28.01.2022**and interest from **29.01.2022**+ expenses thereon.
Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing portion of Sy.No.4/1 measuring 0-05 Guntas, situated at Haragadde Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, duly converted for non-agricultural residential purpose vide Official Memorandum dated 06.12.2012 bearing No.ALN (A.J) SR/82/12-13, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District, now comes within the jurisdiction of Haragadde Village Panchayath, Anekal Taluk and having Khatha No.772/4/1, Property No.150200102800921177, measuring East to West: 16.764 Meters, North to South: 30.1752 Meters, in all measuring 505.85 Square Meters, standing in the name of Mr. Sampangappa N, vide Partition Deed dated 12.12.2006 and Registered as Document No.ANK-1-29726/2006-07 and CD No.ANKD183 dated 16.12.2006 at SRO, Anekal, Bengaluru and bounded on the: East by: Remaining portion of land in Sy.No.4/1, West by: Remaining portion of land in Sy.No. 4/1, North by: Road, South by : Land in Sy.No.2.

2. **Name and Address of the Borrower/Mortgagor:(1) Smt. Dhanalakshmi C.,** W/o. Sri. Manjunatha K. A.,**(2) Sri. Manjunatha K.A.,**S/o. Late Sri. Anjunappa,**Both residing at:(i)** No.29, 2nd Cross, Nethajinagar,Hebbal, Kempapura, Bengaluru – 560024.**(ii)**Kalinayakanahalli Village, Jangamakote Hobli,Shidlaghatte Taluk, Chikkaballapur Dist.**Also at:Smt. Dhanalakshmi C.,** Nandini Milk Parlour, R.T. Nagar, Bengaluru- 560032.
No.GWR/10514/HL/394 A/c No.HTL 65249445434
Demand Notice Date: 23.01.2020
Loan Outstanding amount as per Demand Notice: Rs.20,00,829/- (Rupees Twenty Lakh Eight Hundred and Twenty Nine Only) as on 21.01.2020+ interest from 22.01.2020+ incidental expenses
Paper publication dated 04.03.2021 (as Some of the envelopes containing the said notice addressed to borrower/mortgagor were returned unserved/not acknowledged, the same was published in **"The New Indian Express" and "Kannada Prabha"** daily News Papers on **04.03.2021),**
Possession taken date : 11.02.2022
Present Loan Outstanding: Rs.18,29,648/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakh Twenty Nine Thousand Six Hundred Forty Eight Only) as on 28.01.2022 and interest from 29.01.2022 + expenses thereon.
Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of immovable property Western Portion of Site No.29, Amruthahalli Village Panchayath Khaneshmari No.21/3/29, situated at Kempapura Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, now comes within the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 15 feet and North to South 40 feet in all measuring 600 Sq. feet standing in the name of Sri. Manjunatha K.A., S/o. Late Sri. Anjinappa, vide Release Deed dated 12.06.2014 Registered as Document No.SDG-1-01443/2014-15 and CD No.SDGD96 dated 12.06.2014 at SRO, Sidlaghatta, Chikkaballapur District and bounded on the:East by: Remaining portion in Site No.29,West by: Site No.28,North by: Road,South by: Site No.30.

The above named borrowers/mortgagors having failed to repay the entire loan amount as mentioned in their respective demand notices, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/mortgagors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on **above mentioned dates**

The borrowers/mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the aforesaid properties and any dealings with any of the said properties will be subject to the charge of the State Bank of India for the related present loan outstanding amount as mentioned against the respective borrowers/mortgagors' with further interest accrued together with incidental expenses thereon

The borrowers/mortgagors' attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Place: Bengaluru
Date : 10.02.2022/11.02.2022

Sd/-
Authorised Officer

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that my client is intending to purchase the schedule property from its co-owners i) Smt. Vijaya Rajashekar, ii) Smt. Lohitha Shivkumar, iii) Smt. Yogeetha Raj, iv) Sri. Puttaswamy Rajashekar Chandrashekar, v) Sri.V P Jagadish and Sri. V P Dathathreya, all are residing at No:568, Twenty First Main Road, Fourth "T" Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560041;

It is represented to my client by one the co-owners Sri. V P Jagadish, that he has either lost or misplaced the Original Triplicate Copy of the Gift Deed dated 20-12-2012 executed by Smt. B N Pankajakshi in favour of Sri. V P Rajashekar and others and registered as Document No:9695/2012-13, Book I and stored in CD No:BSKD186 and registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar Basavanagudi (Banashankari), Bangalore and in this regard a police complaint dated 29-09-2021, has been lodged online Police Complaint with Bengaluru City Police Unit and he has obtained acknowledgement dt:29-09-2021 vide Lost Report No:0060044/2021, for having lodged the complaint with regard to missing of the above original document/s;

Any, person, having any claim over the above property on the basis of above referred missing / lost original documents may lodge their objections or claims, in writing with all supporting documentary evidence by registered post with regard to such claim with the undersigned, failing which my client will proceed to finalize and conclude the sale transaction on the basis that there are no other claims. Any claims lodged thereafter will not be entertained by my client;

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of property bearing Municipal No:297/25/249/289/264 (earlier Site No:25, Jayachamarajendra, Industrial Layout), presently situated at Yelechenahalli, Bangalore, Corporation Ward No:185, within the limits and administration of Yelechenahalli Ward, Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, together with structures standing thereon and bounded on the:

East By : Property bearing Old No:26B;
West By : Property bearing Old No:24;
North By : Property bearing Old No:29;
South By : Road;
MEASURING :
East to West : 18.29 Mtrs.,
North to South : 28.65 Mtrs,

N S Satyanarayana Gupta,
K S Nayak, N S Rachana,
N C Janardhan,
Rachana Law Associates,
"Lakshmideep", I Floor, No:2980,
17th Cross, Banashankari II Stage,
BANGALORE – 560 070;
PH : 9731333880 Dt:14-02-2022

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SALE NOTICE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES THROUGH E-AUCTION

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with provision to rule 8(6) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to Borrower that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the secured Creditor, the symbolically/constructive/ Possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer (details mentioned below), will be sold on **"As is Where is ", "As is What is" and "Whatever there is"** basis on **22.03.2022 & 23.03.2022** at the below mentioned timings for recovery of dues with further interest and cost thereon due to The Bangalore City Co Operative Bank Ltd. Administrative office .

The Details are as under: Reserve price and Earnest money deposits details are as under & the Earnest money deposit shall be deposited on or before **21.03.2022 & 22.03.2022** At **5 :00** PM, through online payments Like **RTGS/NEFT** to the account No. details of which are given below or by way of DD in favouring The Bangalore City Co Operative Bank Ltd, Administrative office.

Sl No	Name of the Borrower, address & Branch Name	Description of property & Boundaries & Measurement	Reserve Price	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Amount of Secured debt from Date	Date & time of Auction
1.	Sri. Sathya Sheelan. D.M (Deceased) LR's 1A) Abhilash (Son) & 1B) Abhishek (Son) & Smt. Ambika. B No. 2/16, Samruddi Magadi Main Road, Kadabgere, Bengaluru. Branch : Head Office	E-Khatha No. 150200201400201747, Old Site bearing No.02 & 16, Old Khatha No. 247/53, formed in Land bearing Converted site Sy. No.53, vide conversion order bearing official Memorandum No. B.Ds. ALN/SR/(N)196/04-05, dtd. 04.12.2004, issued by the special Deputy Commissioner (Revenue), Bangalore, District, situated at Kadabagere Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, presently coming under the Jurisdiction of Graminabirudhi & Panchayathi Raj Department, Bangalore. East to West : 70 feet & North to South : 30 feet East by: Road, West by: Road North by: Site No. 1 & 15, South by: Site No. 3 & 17	Rs. 70,00,000/- Rs. (Seventy Lakhs Only)	Rs. 7,00,000/- Rs. (Seven Lakhs Only)	Rs. 1,34,03,061/- & 07.02.2022	22.03.2022 10 : 00 AM To 11 :00 AM
2.	Sri. Bhojaraju & Smt. Latha. C No.43, 35th Cross, 2nd Block, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-10. Branch : MAHALAKSHMIPURA	Plot (Shed) No. P-8, Peenya Industrial Area, Bengaluru-58, East to West: 17 Feet & North to South: 128 feet. East by : Storm Water Drain. West by : Sold some Portion of Plot No. P-8, thereafter Road, North by : Water Supply Premises, South by : Road,	Rs. 1,07,80,000/- Rs. (One Crore Seven Lakhs Eighty Thousand Only)	Rs. 10,78,000/- Rs. (Ten Lakhs Seventy Eighty Thousand Only)	Rs. 1,17,07,337/- & 07.02.2022	22.03.2022 11 : 00 AM To 12 :00 PM
3.	Sri. Venkatachalaiah T (Deceased) Legal Representatives : 1) Savithramma (Wife) 2) Vishwanatha V (Son) 3) Bhaskar V (Son), 4) Pushpavathi (Daughter) 5) Jalaja (Daughter) 6) Nagalakshmi (Daughter) 7) Manjula V (Daughter) No.17/6, 18th Cross, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, K.P. Agrahara, Bengaluru-23. Branch : HEAD OFFICE	No.17/6, 18th Cross Road, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, Bengaluru. East to West : 16 feet & North to South : 60 feet East by : Gangappa's House West by : Narayanamma's Site North by : Water Drainage South by : 20 feet Road	Rs. 1,01,40,000/- Rs. (One Crore one Lakhs Forty Thousand Only)	Rs. 10,14,000/- Rs. (Ten Lakhs Fourteen Thousand Only)	Rs. 97,20,180/- & 07.02.2022	22.03.2022 12 : 00 PM To 01: 00 PM
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EDITORIAL

> I do not cherish this life of glory and power ... I do not want to enjoy the wealth of my kingdom ... In the cool glens of Venkatam where flowers spill nectar, may I be born as a fish
>
> Kulasekara Perumal

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— Ramnath Goenka

ABG SHIPYARD CASE: ARE BANK FRAUDS NOW PART OF THE SYSTEM?

Are we destined to live with bank frauds? From the relentless numbers, it appears defrauding of banks has become endemic. The latest shocker is the case of ABG Shipyard, a company under liquidation, which along with its CMD Rishi Kamlesh Agarwal have been booked for defrauding a consortium of banks of over ₹22,000 crore. The case has been investigated since November 2019, but the CBI has only now filed an FIR against the company and its directors. Billed as India's biggest bank fraud, the company was sanctioned credit facilities from 28 banks. A forensic audit for the 2012–17 period revealed that the directors colluded to commit illegal acts including diversion of funds, misappropriation and criminal breach of trust.

Since it is a big heist, ABG Shipyard has caught the eye. What is not known is how prevalent this form of thievery is. Digital transactions have only made things easier. India saw 229 bank frauds in a day, or 83,638 criminal cases in FY 2021, with as much as ₹1.38 lakh crore being siphoned off in a year. Tragically, just over ₹1,000 crore has been recovered.

If one studies the milestones of bank frauds, two things stand out. First, the biggest frauds are perpetrated by those who draw loans for running what seem to be respectable businesses. Second, frauds are only possible with layers of collusion by bank officials. In the case of Bhushan Steel, when the promoter and MD Neeraj Singhal was arrested for siphoning off ₹2,000 crore, the spotlight turned on bank officials of SBI, UCO Bank, and Punjab National Bank. In the Nirav Modi case, where over ₹10,000 crore was siphoned out for supposedly financing import of pearls, officials of PNB's Brady House branch in Mumbai collaborated in the crime. In the ABG Shipyard case, similar questions remain unanswered. Why was no action taken when there were warning signals as far back as 2016? Why has it taken the police five years to file an FIR after the company liquidation began in 2016? Unfortunately, we begin to shut the barn doors after the horse has bolted.

EOS-04 BOOST FOR ISRO, AMBITIOUS GOALS AHEAD

After a lull in India's space missions in 2021, and the failure of the GSLV-F10 launcher that was carrying the sophisticated EOS-03 satellite on August 12, Monday's successful launch by ISRO comes as a boost for the country's space programme. The launch of the EOS-04 satellite on board the PSLV-C52 rocket was the first of 19 missions planned in 2022—an ambitious year for ISRO, going by the sheer number of missions to be taken up. These include the launch of EOS-6 on board the PSLV, launch of EOS-02 microsat on board the maiden flight of Small Satellite Launch Vehicle (SSLV), test flights for Crew Escape System of Gaganyaan, the first unmanned mission of Gaganyaan, Chandrayaan-3, Aditya LI, XpoSat, IRNSS and technology demonstration missions.

The successful launch and orbit-insertion of the Radar Imaging Satellite EOS-04 may well boost ISRO's morale to achieve ambitious goals ahead. It was reflected in Secretary, Department of Space and ISRO Chairman S Somanath describing the satellite as "one of the biggest assets for us to serve the country". Over the last few months, several discussions and plans among India's scientists about the future road map of the country's space-related objectives indicate that the country's space programme is eyeing ambitious goals.

In November 2021, ISRO's futuristic and innovative technology development wing, the Directorate of Technology Development and Innovation (DTDI), highlighted some of the futuristic technologies on which the agency has initiated its R&D initiatives with defined milestones and deliverables. It is looking at futuristic technologies, including satellite-based quantum communication, quantum radar, self-eating-rockets, self-vanishing-satellites, self-healing materials, humanoid robotics, space-based solar power, intelligent satellites and space vehicles, make-in-space concept, and AI-based space applications. If 2022 seems ambitious in terms of number of missions, the DTDI is no less so on what it aims to conquer in the coming years, going by the almost science fiction-like list it unveiled as part of futuristic technologies it wants to deliver. Nothing is impossible, they say, and that's applicable to ISRO.

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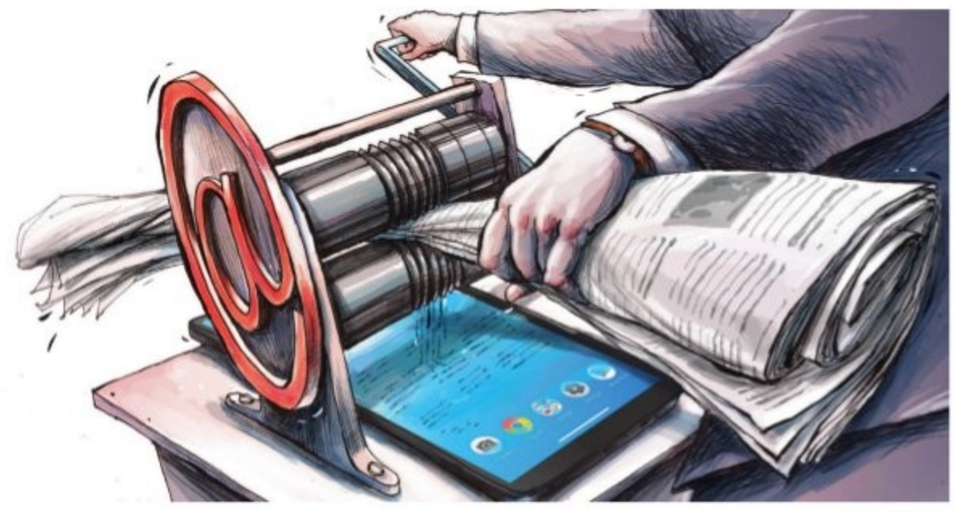
WHO KILLED ADVERTISING IN TRADITIONAL MEDIA?



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Advertising is an ancient allure. It's not as new as we believe it to be.

We are told the Egyptians used it on their early forms of papyrus to make large wall posters and sales messages. The ruins of Pompeii have thrown up early samples of print advertising as we call it today. The same ruins throw up signs of ancient rock paintings that are today's wall paintings we see all around us.

Advertising is all around us, and the funny part of it is that at times we don't even know it is around. Indian rock paintings at Ajanta and Ellora are classic examples of the use of the public medium to float the private message. And advertising is just that, after all.

Advertising has been a part of modern civilisation for a while now. Over the decades, from being a niche form of publicising a message for mass consumption, advertising has grown to be a powerful part of our business lives. In the US, the most evolved advertising market to date, literally 1.8 % of the nation's GDP is contributed to by the advertising industry, as we know it. Advertising is therefore an industry on its own, valuable for all the stakeholders.

The Indian advertising industry has a collective turnover of ₹62,500 crore. The past few years have not seen good trends though. While advertising, and marketing as an overall sentiment, is growing in the country literally in double-digit terms, traditional advertising as we knew it in the old days is hobbling on a weak wicket today. Revenue inflows into traditional media organisations in India tell a tale of their own. While print publications have seen a y.o.y. drop that ranges between 35% in the least affected to a 52% in the most affected cases, advertising revenue is under pressure. The best brands are facing the worst of times. Not many are talking about it as yet, but there is a bloodbath. To an extent, even as consumption and consumerism are growing at a frenetic pace, advertising, as we knew it, is not seeing the gains from this at all. The most telling take of it all is when brand expenditures remain the same or bounce back to pre-pandemic times, advertising money inflows into publications are yet to speak the same story.

Who killed advertising then? Or what? And with what weapon? This is a whodunit on its own.

A few numbers then. As print sees a dip of 42% in advertising revenue terms, television and print have collectively seen a loss of as much as ₹8,000 crore between FY21 and FY20. A comparison of revenue inflows that have occurred for Google India and Facebook online services collectively for the same period indicates a net gain of ₹5,000 crore. Simplistically speaking, the gains of a Google and FB seem to be the loss of print, television and outdoor in India.

Who killed advertising then, as we knew it in traditional media terms? Many prime suspects then.

Suspect No.1: The digital media. Digital crept up slowly, but surely on the large and significant body of advertising. First it was a shadow, and then a small canker. And today, it seems a huge bite has been taken out of traditional media. The loss of television, print and outdoor is the gain of digital. The digital medium is able to work with solid metrics. These numbers represent the consumer and his consumption habit with granularity, as opposed to mass media of the traditional kind, which is unable to get that deep and specific. Digital media is also forever on and to an extent is sought out by the consumer, literally on a permission-basis as opposed to being bombarded top-down.

Suspect No. 2: The print medium itself. The medium tried out every kind of innovation there was to try and gave up many at the altar of quick profits not happening. The newspaper as a one-off item that happens first thing in the morning, over and out, is not enough for a new generation that wants news all the time. Today's consumer of news is all about being on top of it, hour-by-hour, if not minute-by-minute. The early gains of TV news that used to happen literally every hour on Doordarshan, afternoon news, evening news and late-night news later, was based on just this. The digital medium has done a one-plus on this. It is able to give you the news as it breaks, literally minute-by-minute. And that's exactly what the new consumer seems to want. As for print, early experiments with the afternoon and evening news in tabloid format did reasonably well for a time, till they had to be discontinued due to concerns of profitability. The new-generation consumer of news is all about eating the headlines as they happen, without too much of a deep dive. Digital mediums offer them just this. And therefore they live happily ever after.

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To the credit of the print medium, I must say that the best publications in the space have tried cusp mediums of print and digital, and have as well put a foot into the domain of the digital, trying hard to establish a solid commercial beachhead out there. However, consumption numbers, as opposed to the digital duo of Google and Facebook, are far from what they need to be to make commercial sense to a marketer with serious intent. To the buyer of media, it is a simple eyeballs game. Money will flow where the eyeballs are. For the moment, we know where they are.

Suspect No. 3: The war between content and advertising. Publications that began with a pure 100% content approach used a portion of their media space to accommodate advertising. This climbed from early single-digit percentages of space to as much as a robust and highly advertising-centric 35% even. And that seems to have cooked the goose as well. The very credibility of content was questioned by consumers and that led to a blow.

Suspect No. 4: The industry of Public Relations. As PR grew in influence, it gobbled up a share of what was up to be gobbled. Brands that want to preserve a very pure status of their own are today expressing a need to be built not by advertising, but by PR and its many avatars on offer. Editorially built brands seem to be that much more sturdy a requirement for newer brands on the block. Today there is a need for the PR agency of the future that will offer its services, covering both physical and digital mediums. This will be an agency that offers both above-the-line PR that touches media, as well as below-the-line PR that touches people 1:1.

Suspect No. 5: The influencers on social and digital media and their boom. Influencers are today able to showcase brands and their offerings with multiple sets of creatives, generated locally and percolated wide and deep. All of a sudden, brands do not have one or six executions of their creatives, but are able to offer 600-plus versions through their creators. And something that comes from the influencer community (for now) is that much more 1:1 and is communication that comes from the level of a peer as opposed to that coming top-down from an advertiser to the consumer. The influencer economy is gobbling up precious money from traditional media. It's already happening.

The list of suspects is long and I have a line-up of nine. But let me stop for now. The Metaverse is ahead, and the spectre of this medium that does it all looms ahead. The Metaverse is a space where you can market research, advertise, market, do your PR, demonstrate, sell, assess and do everything else you want to for your product or service. This will drain money out from traditional media, and traditional-digital media as well. Interesting times. Let's see who kills whom eventually? Touche!

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A TAMIL EPIC FROM PRESENT-DAY KERALA?

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A COUNTRY OF MANY GODS

In the late 19th century, a Tamil scholar, U V Swaminatha Iyer, chanced upon a few collections of poems that we now call Sangam poetry and other ancient works in the language. Among these was *Silapatikaram*, the Epic of the Anklet. It narrates the story of Kannagi, who got deified after her revenge on the Pandya king and the kingdom for deviating from the path of justice and wrongly killing her beloved husband Kovalan. The author of the epic, Ilanko-Adigal, was a prince from the royal family of Cheras, rulers of the Kerala region during the Sangam period. Most historians of Tamil literature and culture have no issue in accepting Ilanko as a prince who renounced his position in the royal household and the succession rights and lived in a separate enclosure, enjoying the company of his contemporary poets like Sattanar, the author of *Manimekalai*. The third chapter of the epic itself is *Vanjikandam*, dealing with incidents in the city of Vanji or rather the Chera side of the story, the other chapters being named after Kaveripoompattinam (also known as Puhar) under the Cholas and Madurai ruled by the Pandyas. However there exists a controversy on the place where he compiled *Silapatikaram*, which in fact was also the capital of the Chera empire that is referred to in the epic as well as many other sources as Vanchi/ Vanji/ Vanci.

Silapatikaram begins with the affairs of Puhar where Kannagi was born and brought up and got married to Kovalan. Unfortunately, their married life was disrupted because Kovalan fell in love with Madavi, a courtesan. Soon Kovalan exhausted all his wealth and Madavi's love for him too diminished. Kannagi, as a devoted wife, welcomed her husband back despite his mistake. To begin life afresh, the couple moved to Madurai, the capital city of the Pandyas. Reaching Madurai, Kovalan went to the royal goldsmith to sell an anklet given by Kannagi. The goldsmith wrongly accused him of stealing the anklet of the queen. The Pandya king, enraged by the theft, ordered the execution of Kovalan without making any enquiries. Kannagi, hearing this, reached the court and threw her anklet down, due to the breaking of which rubies spilled on the floor—proving that the anklet sold by Kovalan indeed belonged to her, not the queen's that had pearls in it. An enraged Kannagi cursed the city and "Madurai was razed by the rising flames from the undeveloped breast of that great lady of chastity, who threw it in wrath". Leaving the burning Madurai and the Pandya kingdom, Kannagi reached the Chera country and ascended to heaven. The Kurava girls who witnessed the miracle reported the incident to Senguttavan, the Chera king, who decided to build a temple for Kannagi at his capital Vanchi/ Vanji/ Vanci.

> The Tamil epic *Silapatikaram* mentions Vanchi, Kaveripoompattinam and Madurai as the main cities of Tamilagam along with references to other cities such as Kanchi and Uraiyur. While the other places are definitely in present-day Tamil Nadu, where is Vanchi located?

Silapatikaram mentions Vanchi, Kaveripoompattinam and Madurai as the main cities of Tamilagam along with references to other cities such as Kanchi and Uraiyur. While Kanchi and Madurai are doubtlessly the present Kanchipuram and Madurai in the state of Tamil Nadu, there is no place in Kerala with the name Vanchi, except Tiruvanchikulam near Kodungallur. Most of the scholars identify Kodungallur, a port town in central Kerala or some of its surrounding villages, with Vanci, including Karurpadanna as Karoura, which was the capital of Kerabotros according to Ptolemy. If we take Pliny's view, it will be closer to Kerala as he states that "the king of Muziris, at the date of publication, was Caelobothras". William Logan, Raghava Aiyangar and Ramachandra Dikshitar are of the opinion that Karoura of Ptolemy and thus the Chera capital of Vanci is the present-day Karur in Tamil Nadu. Aiyangar also refers to an inscription from Karur where it is referred to as Vanjimaanagaram. Karur on the Kaveri River can also boast about another town with the name Musiri nearby, which prompted Dikshitar to settle the issue and declare Karur of Tamil Nadu the Chera Vanji.

Interestingly, as we travel 75 kilometres east on the Kaveri from Karur, another town called Uraiyur will appear on the southern bank. Aiyangar and Dikshitar do swear that Uraiyur was the second capital of the early Cholas. Were the Chera and Chola capitals so close? Dikshitar also suggests that Kodungallur cannot be identified as Vanci as there is no Vishnu temple in the vicinity as mentioned in *Silapatikaram*, unaware of the existence of Trikkulasekharapuram in the Kodungallur region. Moreover, he ignores the references to Vanci flowers repeatedly mentioned in the epic. Vanci tree (*Calamus rotang*), as modern-day science would argue, "grows in sacred groves near coastal regions and backwaters", as noted by N Sasidharan from the Kerala Forest Research Institute. Just as Dikshitar could not find a Vishnu temple in the Kodungallur region, one cannot find coastal regions and backwaters around Karur. The descriptions in *Silapatikaram* about Vanci flowers and the coexistence of ancient Siva and Vishnu temples and a temple dedicated to Goddess Pattini with female oracles only point towards the Kodungallur region. Here is where Ilanko, the Chera renunciate, wrote *Silapatikaram*, a Tamil epic from present-day Kerala, sitting in his abode, Gunavayirkottam, outside the city of Vanchi/ Vanji/ Vanci.

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Visit Ramappa temple too

It is good to see many VIPs visiting the recently built statue of Ramanujacharya in Hyderabad. But very few of them have visited the Ramappa temple, which recently received recognition from UNESCO, perhaps because it is located in a remote region. It would be great if they could also visit the Kakatiya-era temple.
T Kailash Ditya, Hyderabad

Tribute to our soldiers

The nation always remembers the sacrifices made by its soldiers. It is three years since the Pakistan-sponsored Pulwama terror attack and the nation pays tribute to those who will never be forgotten. The terror incident increased the animosity between the countries and the consequences were not good for Pakistan.
Md Yousuf Kamal, Malappuram

Powerful Centre needed

This is with reference to the article *To strengthen federalism, revisit the Constitution* (Feb 10). The fact is that the Centre has been more powerful than state governments for stronger coherence as a nation since 1950—whether it is the Congress or BJP or any third front in Delhi. With limited powers, regional chieftains often go overboard. There is an exception though. It is Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik of Odisha, who looks after his subjects, extends a helping hand to other states and maintains a cordial relationship with the Centre. Such political maturity cannot be expected of other regional players known for their insatiable appetite for power.
Venkat Desikan, Chennai

Credit to Dravidian parties

This is with reference to *Stalin's politics fuels new national federalism* (Feb 12). Both the Dravidian parties, which have been ruling the southern state in turn since 1967, have to be complimented for the metamorphosis. The state leaders realised very early that primary education is key and that the literacy rate is the major determinant of the rise or fall of other indicators like women's fertility, infant mortality rate, growth rate of the economy, etc. Even after education was brought under the Concurrent List in 1976, the efforts of successive governments did not lose pace.
S Vasudevan, Talcher

Worshipping the Sun God

This is with reference to *Surya worship and sculptures in ancient Karnataka* (Feb 8). The article is informative and gives insight into the worship of the Sun God in Karnataka in various forms with pictures from ancient temples in the state. Incidentally, separate temples for each of the 12 Adityas can be found in Varanasi.
R Sriramprasad, Bengaluru

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Nitin Gadkari @nitin_gadkari
Proud moment for Indians! Heartiest congrats to team of @isro on successful launch of radar imaging satellite EOS-04 and 2 others onboard PSLV-C52

Mahua Moitra @MahuaMoitra
Saffron sahibs are masters of twisting truth. Am happy that on this dull Valentine's Day, I have given PM & his troll army something to be excited about

Sanjay Jha @JhaSanjay
There is a massive bank scam. You my dear taxpayer are being taken for a ride.

ASSEMBLY ELECTION 2022 DECIDE

PM slams TMC for Hindu vote divide view

NAMITA BAJPAI @Lucknow

WHEN polling was underway in the second phase in Uttar Pradesh, Prime Minister Narendra Modi was exuding confidence that Yogi Adityanath was returning to power. Interestingly, he introduced a new narrative around the division of Hindu votes by flagging a TMC MP's statement in connection with Goa which also voted on Monday.

The PM expressed concern over the statement wherein the TMC MP allegedly spoke about dividing Hindu votes to avert their consolidation in favour of one party (read BJP) in Goa. Modi was addressing a huge rally in Akbarpur of Kanpur Dehat, where people converged from 11 adjoining Assembly constituencies.

During his 46-minute speech, Modi said that while UP was voting in the second phase, Uttarakhand and Goa were also voting. "I want to bring a very serious issue to the notice of voters of this country. I read an interview of an MP of Trinamool Congress, Mamata Banerjee's party, wherein she claimed that TMC had jumped into the fray in Goa and clinched an alliance with Shiv Sena to divide the Hindu voters in the state," said the PM.

The PM continued by asking if it was democracy, then why did they want to divide Hindu voters. "Then whom do you want to unite? I want to tell voters of Goa and other states that this is the time to bury such kind of political narrative," said the PM.

As per the political pundits, the concern shown by the PM in Akbarpur over the division of Hindu votes has set an agenda in the political landscape of UP. It may be recalled that in 2017, Modi had introduced the narrative of 'Kabristan-Shamshan' while the third phase of UP Assembly polls was on and it had changed the narrative of polls in the rest of the phases.

The PM claimed that the first two phases in UP had made four things clear. "BJP is coming back, every caste and community is going to vote for development, mothers and daughters have taken up the responsibility to lead BJP to victory and my Muslims sisters are stepping out to bless Modi," he said.

CAMPAIGNING IN PUNJAB GETS LOUDER

With Assembly elections on February 20, top leaders of all the parties have started arriving in the state. Harpreet Bajwa presents what they had to say in different parts of the state on Monday

Kejriwal accuses Cong, BJP & Akali Dal of colluding against AAP

CHANDIGARH: Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) chief and Delhi CM Arvind Kejriwal said on Monday that Congress, Akali Dal and BJP are in connivance to defeat his party. "They are abusing me and our chief ministerial candidate Bhagwant Mann and conspiring against us," he said in Phagwara. He added that CM Charanjit Singh Channi attacks him and Mann, but does not speak against Sukhbir Badal and BJP. "They are afraid if AAP forms government in Punjab, their loot business will stop." Kejriwal said his party's aim is to better the education and medical system of Punjab, to improve the condition of electricity, water and agriculture. "We want to get the youth out of the clutches of drugs. We want strict punishment for the culprits and masterminds of all the sacrilege cases."

Punjab needs BJP for security & eradication of drug menace: Modi

CHANDIGARH: Saying that he is indebted to Punjab and the state needs double-engine development, PM Narendra Modi on Monday said a BJP government is needed for the sake of national security. Addressing a rally in Jalandhar, he said: "If given a chance, NDA will deliver a 'Nava Punjab' in five years. It will be free of debt, corruption and drugs. You might have everything, but if your son becomes a drug-addict, what will you do with money and property? This battle is for you." Saying that the security situation in Punjab has not improved, Modi added he wanted to pay obeisance at the Devi Talab Mandir, but the police and administration were unable to make arrangements. "This is the situation of the government here. But I will offer prayers at Shaktipeeth soon," he said.

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Rahul says Channi govt will work for small & medium businessmen, farmers

CHANDIGARH: Congress leader Rahul Gandhi said CM Charanjit Singh Channi will run a government of small and medium level businessmen, traders and farmers. He announced that if his party returns to power, it will set up a 'cluster' through which payment will be made directly to farmers for the crops they produce. Addressing a rally in Hoshairpur, Rahul said, "Our government will work to create a cluster of food parks and machine tools in Hoshiarpur. Whatever you grow in the food park, be it potato chips or tomato ketchup, everything can be manufactured by directly transferring your produce from farms to the food processing unit." Taking a swipe at BJP, he said, "He (PM Modi) couldn't observe two minutes of silence in Parliament for farmers who died during the protest."

Sacrilege not a burning poll issue

Employment, development and end of drug problem bigger concerns for voters in Punjab

Ear to the Ground
PUNJAB POLLS

H KHOGEN SINGH
@ Mansa/Muktsar/Bathinda (Punjab)

IT is not yet eight in the morning as a motley group of farmers, milk cans in hand, congregate next to verdurous wheat fields in Jawahar Singh Wala village, Faridkot. "The main issues in the elections are unemployment and drugs, not sacrilege," said Sukhmander Singh, 58, as he and the others load their cans on to an electric-powered tempo that will take their milk to a nearby dairy.

Sukhmander's view is a little surprising, given that his village hit headlines in Punjab and beyond when the first incident of desecration of the Guru Granth Sahib, or the Sikh religious scripture, took place on June 1, 2015. Pages from the holy book were allegedly torn and stolen. Later, at least three more incidents of sacrilege took place in other parts.

"All the parties promised they will bring the culprits to book but all the accused are out on bail. Politicians only make promises but do nothing so the issue is now forgotten," said another farmer Sandeep Singh, 32, a reformed drug addict who lost his coveted job in the police because of the habit.

The sacrilege issue unites everyone in rage against the political class, with the anger directed at the Congress and the Akali Dal in equal measure. Most people are convinced that successive governments have not done enough against the culprits, putting up weak cases against them. Yet, the issue that is said to have felled the Akali Dal-BJP government in 2017 is not top priority, at least on the surface.

(Above) Sukhraj Singh, son of Krishan Bhagwan Singh, who died in the police firing in Behbal Kalan village, Faridkot, has been sitting in protest for 60 days over the sacrilege incident. (Left) The gurdwara in Jawahar Singh Wala village, Faridkot, from where some pages of the Guru Granth Sahib were torn | EXPRESS

> **This (sacrilege) was a big issue in 2017 (elections) but not this time. The public now wants jobs, development and end to corruption and the drug problem,**
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> Sarabjit Singh, electrical shop owner

"This was a big issue in 2017 (elections) but not this time. The public now wants jobs, development and end to corruption and the drug problem," said Sarabjit Singh, 36, an electrical shop owner in Gurdaspur's Dera Baba Nanak, one of the most sacred places of the Sikhs and a part of the Kartarpur Corridor with Pakistan.

His sentiment is shared by Tarsem Singh, 73, a farmer in Parmanand village, Pathankot. "Sonia (Gandhi) removed Captain (Amarinder Singh) as the chief minister because he did not do anything, now that (Charanjit Singh) Channi is there people feel he will take action so the issue is forgotten," he said, sunning himself as the midday zephyr blew away the dust kicked up passing traffic.

Months after the Jawahar Singh Wala sacrilege incident, pages of the torn Guru Granth Sahib were found in Bargari village, Faridkot, in October 2015. In a subsequent protest against this, police fired on the protesters, killing two persons in Behbal Kalan village.

But the sacrilege and the firing cases appear to have fallen apart, with the Central Bureau of Investigation, to whom the sacrilege case was shifted from the Punjab Police, filing a closure report in July 2019, although the Justice Ranjit Singh (retd) Commission of Inquiry, instituted by the Amarinder government, described the theft as "an incident of unprecedented nature."

"One can say without fear of contradiction that such incidents may not have happened even during Mughal rule. This incident ought to have sent alarm bells for everyone in the highest echelons of the government. It was certainly not a routine crime to be dealt with in a routine manner," the commission had said.

Even if voters have put the sacrilege incidents on the backburner, Sukhraj Singh, 30, the son of Krishan Bhagwan Singh, one of the protesters who died in the police firing, is waging a lone battle for justice.

Inside a temporary, plastic enclosed shed with a concrete stage in Behbal Kalan next to the Ludhiana-Amritsar National Highway 54, the same on which PM Narendra Modi was stopped by protesting farmers when he was on his way to Ferozepur in January, Sukhraj has been sitting in protest against the government for the past 60 days, demanding action against those responsible for his father's death. "The Congress government did not conduct a fair probe against the Akali leaders involved in the incident. The people should punish the Congress for playing politics over the issue. I even met Channi but he has also not done anything," he seethed.

But while Sukhraj is on a cathartic mission for justice over the sacrilege incidents, the priority for others in the elections is more basic. "The most important thing is people should get two square meals a day, all other issues are secondary," said Satnam Singh, 53, a vendor outside Baba Mohan Singh Namdhari Gurdwara Sahib in Baghowal village, Gurdaspur.

Darul Uloom, Islamic seminary in Deoband | EXPRESS

MUSLIMS CHOOSE OBC FACE OVER OWN COMMUNITY

SANA SHAKIL @ Saharanpur/Bijnaur

AN unprecedented phenomenon played itself out in the second phase of Uttar Pradesh polls, which has a significant chunk (37 out of 55) of seats with high concentration of Muslims. Contrary to perception of Muslims voting as a block, this daily after travelling extensively through the west UP belt of Rampur-Moradabad-Bijnor-Saharanpur, found that Muslims lent their support to several prominent non-BJP OBC faces, instead of choosing weaker candidates from their own community. This happened in several seats which went to polls on Monday.

Observers say the phenomena of Muslims aligning with others is not restricted to OBCs but Muslim partnership with other communities such as Dalits is likely to be seen in the later phases of voting. In Deoband for instance, Rahat Khalil of Congress and Maulana Umer Madani of AIMIM are hardly a preference for Muslim voters, who are mostly standing with SP candidate Kartikeya Rana. A similar trend was visible in Chandpur, where Muslims, who account for 70% of the total voters, largely seemed to be favouring Swami Omwesh of SP over Shakil Hashmi of BSP. In the Muslim-dominated Gangoh seat in Saharanpur, one noticed most Muslims supporting Indrasen of Samajwadi Party over Noman Masood of BSP.

Tehseen, a dentist from Khera Afghan village that falls in Muslim-dominated Nakur seat, said, "They made an ATS centre in Deoband because we have Darul uloom there. Hijab is being made an issue but the measured response from the community and no response from non-BJP parties has worked well so far. Had these parties said something, BJP would have reaped political advantage of the situation."

A cleric at Darul Uloom chowk, who did not wish to be named, said, "Muslims are not communal. We are happy with anyone who takes us along and does not want to erase our identity." Talking about how Muslims voters in UP were gradually losing their electoral relevance, he said, "We are hoping that at the very least from this election, we won't be pushed further to the margins. Muslims wish to retain some relevance, which is a must for protection of our rights in the current polarised atmosphere."

TNIE @ GROUND ZERO

Taslim Ahmed Rehmani, the chief of Social Democratic Party of India (SDPI) and President of Muslim Political Council of India, said whatever be the outcome of elections, there is clarity that electoral importance of Muslims are likely to increase. "In 2017, Muslims were isolated but in 2022, they are aligned either with Jats, Yadavs or other OBCs. This is what will make the Muslim votes significant. "

Sipping tea outside Gol Masjid in Sambhal's Deepa Sarai, a group of old men wished to vote with the aim of avoiding further political marginalisation. They pointed to one person from their group, Mohammad Ikram, who had hosted Asadaduddin Owaisi at his house for tea. Despite this, Ikram would still not vote for AIMIM. "Owaisi is a good leader but he is not a factor in these elections," said one of them.

BACK TO WORK POST POLLING

Farmers pose in a mustard field as they show their inked fingers after casting votes, during the second phase of Uttar Pradesh Assembly elections, in Moradabad on Monday | PTI

EXPRESS READ

PM in town, Channi chopper not allowed to take off

Chandigarh: Now, there is helicopter politics in Punjab. Chief Minister Charanjit Singh Channi was not allowed to take off initially for Hoshiarpur to attend a rally of Rahul Gandhi and eventually missed the rally. After a few hours, when he took off, he could only reach Sujanpur because a 'no-fly zone' restriction was imposed due to the movement of PM Narendra Modi, who was in Jalandhar. Sources said authorities did not initially permit Channi's helicopter to take off from Chandigarh as a 'no-fly zone' restriction was imposed. As Channi was to go to Hoshiarpur for Rahul's rally, a helipad had been set up there. But the CM's security team left after being informed about the development. Later, his chopper was not allowed to take off for Jalandhar.

OMAN NAVY CHIEF IN INDIA FOR STRATEGY TALK

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

IN continuation of joint meetings of the defence and military, Rear Admiral Saif Bin Nasser Bin Mohsin Al Rahbi, Commander of the Royal Navy of Oman (CRNO), is on a goodwill visit to India.

"The visit aims to consolidate bilateral relations with Indian Navy, as also to explore new avenues for defence cooperation with India," the Indian Navy said in a statement on Monday. Naval Principals of both nations held discussions to explore avenues to further enhance cooperation between the naval forces.

This is the second high-level meeting with Oman's Defence Ministry Secretary General Mohammed Nasser Al Zaabi, the executive head of the Omani defence establishment, who visited India from January 30 to February 4. The Chief of the Royal Oman Air force will be visiting later this month. Oman's Defence Secretary General was in India to co-chair the 10th Joint Military Cooperation Committee with Defence Secretary Ajay Kumar.

The CRNO commenced his visit by paying homage at the National War Memorial. He was received by Admiral R Hari Kumar, Chief of the Naval Staff, at the South Block Lawns. He also met Indian Army Chief General MM Naravane.

A source said the CRNO is scheduled to visit the Information Fusion Centre: Indian Ocean Region on Tuesday. It was established by the Government of India in 2018 to further maritime safety and security in the Indian Ocean Region.

In a major agreement, Oman agreed to give India access to the key Port of Duqm in Oman for military use and logistical support. The countries also have the White Shipping agreement, which allows sharing information regarding non-military merchant vessels.

Centre knew about ABG fraud in 2017: Cong

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Congress party on Monday attacked Prime Minister Narendra Modi over the ABG Shipyard bank fraud and said that he should explain how the fraud happened and why he was silent on it.

The party said that the government had come to know about the ₹22,842 crore fraud involving five senior officials of the Gujarat-based company and other government public servants, five years ago but did not take any action against it.

Congress party spokesperson Gourav Vallabh said, "The Central government came to know about the apparent fraud back in 2017. But for five years the government did nothing. Only files were being sent here and there."

The leader asked, "Why are the prime minister and finance minister silent? Why don't you tell the country how this fraud happened? Why has Rishi Agarwal not held yet?"

Questioning if the government is working in connivance of former ABG Shipyard Managing Director Rishi Agarwal, Vallabh said, "'Loot and escape' is the flagship scheme of the Modi government for fraudsters. Another one is the ease of committing fraud in the country. Why is the prime minister mum on the ₹22,842 crore fraud of public money and why has the managing chairman not been arrested till now."

LIQUOR LAW CONTESTED

The Supreme Court directed the Bihar govt to submit response to the pleas challenging the Constitutional validity of its liquor law. The top court also transferred similar petitions to itself from the Patna High Court

2 MEN HELD FOR BLACKMAILING BJP MP PRAGYA THAKUR

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	30	16	Mumbai	29	22
Bhopal	30	11	Panaji	28	20
Jaipur	25	15	Patna	26	10
Amritsar	21	08	Lucknow	24	13
Chennai	31	23	Port Blair	30	26
Kolkata	27	15	Imphal	26	03
Srinagar	14	01	Chandigarh	25	10

Mamata's front faces trust deficit

Congress cannot be ignored as it is in power in some states or in ruling coalition, say experts

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @New Delhi

TRINAMOOL Congress chief Mamata Banerjee on Sunday appears to have made yet another attempt at forging a third front, citing alleged Constitutional overstepping by the governors in the non-BJP states, including West Bengal.

Previously too, she tried to bring opposition parties, barring the Congress, to a common platform, but with little success. "The objective behind suggesting to Tamil Nadu CM MK Stalin that there should be a meeting of all non-BJP chief ministers is nothing new. It is only an effort to bring like-minded opposition parties into a new front against the BJP ahead of the next Lok Sabha elections," said analyst Supriya Satyam.

"But the success of Didi's new political plan would depend on whether the Grand Old Party, which has governments in some states, comes to the front's support. The TMC, after the recent poaching of Congress leaders in Goa and other states, has annoyed the Congress leadership," said RK Verma, a politics analyst. Monday's statement of Mamata in Kolkata that "Congress Party can go its way, we will go ours", is enough to say about the possibility of Congress party's participation in the proposed meeting of opposition CMs, he added.

Another bottleneck in Mamata's plan to come to the forefront of national politics with the help of a new opposition front would be the participation of the non-Congress CMs leading governments with the Congress' support.

It is being said that Jharkhand Mukti Morcha's Hemant Soren or Shiv Sena's Uddhav Thackeray might not agree so easily to come to an opposition CMs' meet if the Congress refuses to allow its CMs to participate. Soren's government in Jharkhand and Uddhav's MVA alliance in Maharashtra owe their existence to the Congress. Sources in the Congress, alluding to the Goa situation, said, Trinamool Congress has lost its political credibility and in such a situation, Congress wouldn't easily agree to participate in such a meeting.

PKD Nambiar, a prominent political analyst, said the parties in opposition have a common enemy, Modi, but they don't have a common minimum program as well as a common leader. "Everyone, right from KCR to Kerala CM, TMC chief herself and Sharad Pawar, thinks s/he is best suited for the opposition's prime ministerial face against Modi. In such a situation, any move by Mamata to unite the opposition, excluding Congress party, would not have any chance to succeed," he said.

Last year, Mamata had met Uddhav and NCP boss Sharad Pawar on a mission to form a new non-Congress opposition front. She didn't manage to make much headway as the Shiv Sena stressed the need to strengthen the Congress-led opposition against the BJP.

Amid infighting within TMC, Mamata had recently called a meeting of some senior leaders and dissolved many office-bearer posts. It is said that her move to speak to Stalin on Sunday has partially helped her to shift national politics' focus from her party's woes. *ENS*

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TOUGH ROAD AHEAD FOR DIDI

Another political expert gave the example of Mamata's Mumbai visit which did not cut ice with Uddhav and Pawar. The Sena told her about the need to strengthen the Congress-led opposition.

'Trinamool will decide its own course'

KOLKATA: West Bengal chief minister Mamata Banerjee made it clear on Monday that the Trinamool Congress would decide its own course of action.

"The Congress will decide their path and we will our course of action on our own. Where the Congress is in power, it is always in fear of defections to other party (BJP)," she said, referring to TMC's ties with the Congress in national politics. "I have spoken to Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin and we discussed about a non-BJP alliance," she added.

The TMC has on many occasions expressed her unwillingness to join an opposition alliance led by the Congress.

Claiming the TMC is the only political force which can challenge the BJP, Mamata in Goa had hinted that she was adamant about giving space to the Congress for commandeering the alliance against the BJP. She had made an offer to all parties in the opposition, including the Congress, to join the alliance she was firming up in Goa. She had said that the ability to beat the BJP will decide who leads the alliance.

In January, Mamata wrote in the TMC mouthpiece that Congress was a 'spent force'. *ENS*

Initial nod to UP expressway that can fell nearly 2L trees

RICHA SHARMA @New Delhi

NEARLY two lakh trees in forest land have to be felled for the UP government's Ganga Expressway. The much-talked about project has got an initial go-ahead from an environment ministry committee despite concerns over the number of trees which has to be cut.

With a project cost of ₹36,230 cr, the nearly 600 km-long expressway will pass through 12 districts along the river Ganga from Meerut to Prayagraj.

While it was recently accorded Term of References (ToR), the committee has sought clarifications on the need for a 120m land as Right of Way (RoW) for the six-lane expressway, need for a mandatory public hearing and some alignment issues. ToR talks about the scope of work to be done.

The project was considered by the Expert Appraisal Committee (EAC) of Infrastructure during its meeting last month. It will involve a diversion of approximately 121.47 hectares of forest land and the approval is pending with the forest division of the ministry.

What distressed the EAC was that the project proponent, Uttar Pradesh Expressways Industrial Development Authority, said the alignment will involve cutting of around 1,80,793 trees and a majority (93%) of them in forest land.

"Tree cutting is very high, which should be minimised. It should be mentioned in the EIA report which type of trees are going to be felled, whether it is commercial plantation or natural plantation/vegetation.

"The alignment of the road should be such that the cutting of trees is kept at a bare minimum and for this, the proponent shall obtain permission from the competent authorities. Alignment should also be such that it will avoid cutting old and large and heritage trees if any. All such trees should be geo-tagged, photographed and details submitted in the EIA-EMP (environment management plan) report," noted the committee as it accorded the ToR.

It said the proponent shall carry out a comprehensive socio-economic assessment and the project's impact on biodiversity with emphasis on the impact of land acquisition.

The UP government said consent was received for land acquisition but the EAC said public hearing cannot be exempted.

Four points in NC objection to delimitation

FAYAZ WANI @Srinagar

THE National Conference (NC) on Monday submitted four-point objections to the Delimitation Commission on its second draft proposing major changes in constituencies in Jammu and Kashmir.

NC MP Hasnain Masoodi said the Delimitation Commission Act was not applicable to J&K and it was made applicable in August 5, 2019 through the J&K Reorganisation Act. "Since the Supreme Court is hearing petitions challenging validity of J&K Re-Organisation Act, this means it will also examine whether the Delimitation Act could have been made applicable to J&K."

The Centre, he said, should have waited for the verdict before going for delimitation of Assembly and parliamentary seats.

In its second draft, the Delimitation Commission proposed deletion of 22 Assembly seats and creation of 29 seats as well as major changes in parliamentary constituencies.

Masoodi said the Commission has to give utmost importance to population because it has to be given representation. "But this basic fact is being ignored." He gave the examples of segments which have 1.92 lakh, 1.88 lakh, 51,000 and 70,000-plus voters.

Masoodi said the panel has to make compact constituencies with regard to connectivity and accessibility. "However, this principle is also violated. Why Poonch and Rajouri have been included in Anantnag?"

CRPF personnel pay tribute to the Pulwama martyrs in Lethpora on Monday | PTI

CRPF upgrades troops, armoury post Pulwama

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @New Delhi

THE Central Reserved Police Force, which lost 40 personnel in the 2019 Pulwama terror attack, has changed many of its operating procedures of convoy movement and terror encounters over the years to deal more effectively with terrorism in Jammu and Kashmir.

The paramilitary force is now equipped with advanced weapons and modified gadgets to deal with any such attack in the future.

Under the new Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs), fast tags are to be used to check unauthorised entry of vehicles in the convoy and CCTVs have been installed at toll gates to check movement of vehicles.

As per the new procedures, a set of convoys will move together on pre-decided days only and convoys do not take one route every time and multiple vehicles advance simultaneously.

Talking about the changes brought to prevent similar terror attacks in future, the Union home ministry also started air courier service for the Central Armed Police Forces (CAPF) personnel reaching J&K to join their duties.

Three years ago, when the attack took place, the CRPF used to have up to Level 3 bulletproof jackets. It has now been upgraded with Level 4. The CRPF has advanced its vehicles and helmets too. Also, bulletproof and Sherpa vehicles, which can face heavy firing and can park close to the encounter site, have been introduced in the force, a senior CRPF officer said.

Use of drones during the operations and movements was increased too, he said.

CRPF camps are equipped with CCTVs and manned by heavy armed jawans. In case of any attack, these camps have a three-level defence system, said a senior CRPF official, who is based in Kashmir.

EXPRESS READ

Sweeping win for TMC in four civic bodies

Kolkata: The Trinamool Congress secured a sweeping victory in the elections to four municipal corporations. It also wrested Siliguri civic body for the first time since it came to the power in 2011. The Left Front failed retain the civic body that it had ruled for 45 years. The BJP came second in Siliguri and Asansol which were considered as its strongholds. The Left came second in Chandernagore and Biddhannagar. In the 226 seats of the four civic bodies, only 29 seats were won by opposition parties. The BJP managed 12 seats. The Left Front could not win a single seat in Bidhannagar.

Gujarat pre-schools to reopen after two years

Ahmedabad: After almost two years of the Covid pandemic, Gujarat will open anganwadi centres, preschools and kindergartens for reopening statewide from February 17. The state government had earlier announced to start offline education from Standard 1 to 9 from February 7. Education Minister Jitu Waghani said as the children were unable to study in kindergarten, pre-school or anganwadi, the government was concerned about their education. Consent of parents will be required for sending children to pre-schools, kindergartens and anganwadis, the minister asserted.

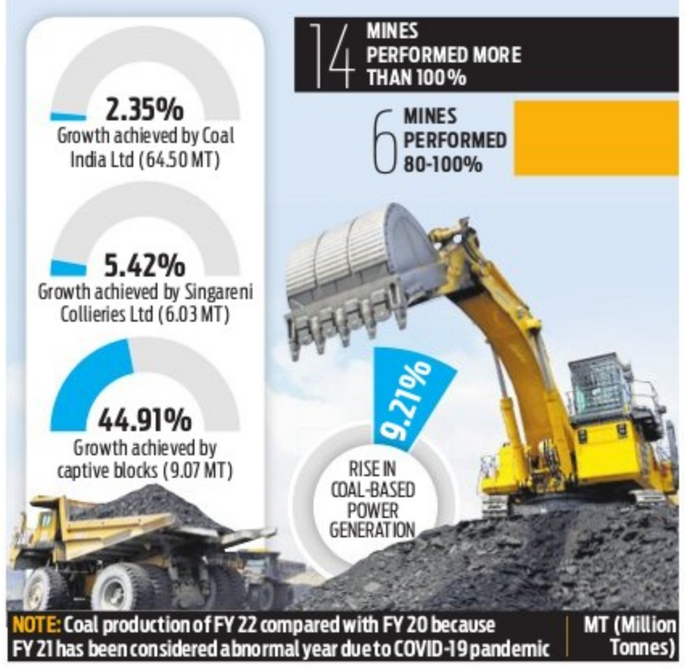
India, Philippines discuss bilateral issues

New Delhi: External Affairs Minister Dr S Jaishankar met with his Philippine counterpart Teddy Locsin Jr and discussed issues of mutual interests on Monday. This is Jaishankar's first trip to the Phillipines and it comes right after the Quad meeting in Melobourne. "We are entering a new phase of our partnership. Its basis is the mutuality of national security and development aspirations. Our conversation covered a range of issues dealing with both," Jaishankar tweeted. Before the meeting, he also visited the Intramuros heritage site in Manila.

FUELLING POWER DRIVE

India's coal production has increased, according to provisional data from the Ministry of Coal. Coal-based power production has also increased

75 MT Production in Jan 2020 | 79.69 MT Production in Jan 2022 | 6.13% Rise in production


14 MINES PERFORMED MORE THAN 100%
6 MINES PERFORMED 80-100%
2.35% Growth achieved by Coal India Ltd (64.50 MT)
5.42% Growth achieved by Singareni Collieries Ltd (6.03 MT)
44.91% Growth achieved by captive blocks (9.07 MT)
9.21% RISE IN COAL-BASED POWER GENERATION
NOTE: Coal production of FY 22 compared with FY 20 because FY 21 has been considered abnormal year due to COVID-19 pandemic
MT (Million Tonnes)

SOS FOR STUDENTS IN UKRAINE

JAIPUR: Thousands of Indian students, mostly pursuing engineering and medicine, are stuck in Ukraine amid rising tension of war. A majority of them are from Rajasthan, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Kerala, and Punjab.

On behalf of some parents and students from Rajasthan's Kota division, a petition was submitted to the President's Secretariat to ensure safety of the students.

There are nearly 20,000 students studying in Ukraine. From Kota, there are around 40 while there are over 1,000 students from Rajasthan.

Bundi's Congress leader Charmesh Sharma, who assists Indians in distress abroad, has petitioned President Ramnath Kovind to direct the government to bring the students back. "Indians from all over the country have gone there to study in medical and engineering universities. Students from Rajasthan and other states studying at Zaporizhzhia State Medical University are in distress," said Sharma.

A student, Sharma claimed, wrote to him that all countries are evacuating their citizens but they do not know about the Indian government's plans.

According to reports, most of the students live in western Ukraine, while tension is on the eastern front. Ukraine is favoured by Indians due to its easier and cheaper admissions compared to India.

Rajesh Asnani

IMA vetoes *Charak Shapath*, to meet Mandaviya

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @New Delhi

THE Indian Medical Association (IMA) is against replacing replace the Hippocratic Oath with Charak Shapath, a controversial step proposed by National Medical Commission (NMC). The largest organisation of doctors in India with over three lakh members described the move as "unacceptable and ill-advised".

Representatives of IMA will have a meeting with Union Health Minister Mansukh Mandaviya on Sunday and tell him what they feel.

"We are meeting the minister on February 20. We will urge him not to replace the oath. We will make him understand that there is no need for such a controversy at a time when doctors are at the forefront of battling Covid. I am sure he will understand and not agree to replace the oath," IMA national president Dr Sahajanand Prasad Singh said.

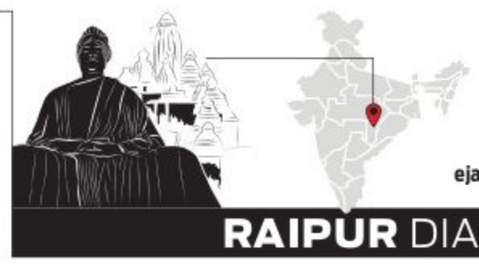
The NMC, in its undergraduate board meeting last week, had discussed a proposal with medical colleges to replace the Hippocratic Oath taken by medical students with Charak Shapath. Named after the founder of Ayurveda, the Shapath lays down a code of conduct for healers in ancient Indian medicines. The proposal has been circulated to medical colleges for their feedback.

"It is unfortunate that such a move has come when Indian doctors have fought three waves of Covid with courage and determination. The NMC move is unacceptable and ill-advised," Singh said.

He added that tampering with the identity of modern medicine is "nothing but sacrilege." NMC is trying to erase the identity of modern medicine and replace it with the "identity and legacy of a different system of medicine which is a betrayal of the profession," Singh asserted.

Litmus test for Cong Chhattisgarh model in UP polls

Congress party manifesto released in Lucknow will also test the acceptability of the Chhattisgarh model of governance by the Bhupesh Baghel government in the battle for Uttar Pradesh. The manifesto 'Unnati Vidhan Jan Ghosna Patra' released by the party general secretary Priyanka Gandhi for the UP assembly elections amid promises galore talked about replicating Chhattisgarh's unique 'Godhan Nyay Yojana —a cow-dung to cash scheme and *gauthan* (cattle shed premises). The manifesto also pledged a MSP of ₹2,500 per quintal for paddy and wheat. Chhattisgarh is procuring paddy at the same MSP.



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RAIPUR DIARY

Comply with new working hours or face strict action

State government has warned its officials and employees of strict action if they don't attend their scheduled office hours from 10 am to 5.30 pm. The general administration department has asked all divisional commissioners, collectors and heads of various departments to ensure the officers and staff comply with the new working hours. The state government last week allowed the employees to work five days a week in a bid to enhance their efficiency and productivity. The general administration department had brought out a circular stating the above-mentioned shortcomings of its officials and employees. "It has been brought to the notice of the government that officers and employees are remaining late to attend their work in various government offices and field duties," the circular said.

NMDC CMD reviews operations, expansion plans

National Mineral Development Corporation Chairman-cum-MD Sumit Deb reviewed the company's major iron-ore mines at Kirandul and Bacheli complexes, in Dantewada district of Chhattisgarh. While inspecting operations of the mines, he took stock of the capacity expansion initiatives underway. NMDC is the largest iron ore producer for India and the major share of it comes from the Kirandul and Bacheli complexes. The CMD while guiding employees to achieve the goal of 100 MT mining capacity by 2030 also laid down a roadmap for the future.

District-wise ranking based on SDGs devised

Chhattisgarh State Planning Commission has initiated efforts on creating a Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) based 'Dashboard' where the districts will now be ranked. The panel has already prepared a three-year action plan and seven-year strategy under the "Chhattisgarh SDG Vision 2030". The gap-filling exercise coupled with the beneficiaries' experience is likely to further strengthen the SDG-based monitoring and evaluation process of the state government departments. The NITI Aayog has appreciated the state having achieved a top slot on Gender Equality section in the third edition of he SDG India Index 2020-21.

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Algerian court sentences ex-energy minister Chakib Khelil to 20 years in prison on corruption charges

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • SW: Snow • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	1	-12	LC	Los Angeles	17	6	LR
Colombo	31	23	LC	Melbourne	24	16	SNY
Dhaka	26	15	SNY	Moscow	1	-7	LC
Dubai	27	17	SNY	New York	2	-3	SNY
Houston	20	16	SNY	Singapore	30	26	TDS
Istanbul	9	3	SNY	Toronto	-4	-5	LC
London	11	7	LR	Washington	5	-2	LC

RUSSIA READY FOR MORE TALKS WITH WEST TO END UKRAINE STANDOFF

In Kyiv, German Chancellor Olaf Scholz urges Russia to take up offers of dialogue, but vows Western allies would maintain support for Ukraine's independence

MOSCOW

RUSSIA held open the door on Monday to further talks on resolving its standoff with the West and said some of its military drills were ending, signalling a possible easing of the crisis over Ukraine.

The comments came as German Chancellor Olaf Scholz, visiting Kyiv, vowed that Berlin and Western allies would maintain support for Ukraine's security and independence, urging Russia to take up "offers of dialogue".

During a televised meeting with President Vladimir Putin, Russian Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov said "there is always a chance" to reach an agreement with the West over Ukraine.

He told Putin that initial exchanges with leaders in European capitals and Washington showed enough of an opening for progress on Russia's ambitions to be worth pursuing.

"I would suggest continuing," Lavrov said. "Fine," Putin replied.

Meanwhile, during a press conference in Kyiv with Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky, Scholz told reporters there was "no reasonable justification" for Russia's build-up of troops around Ukraine's borders.

He also urged Moscow "to take up the existing offers of dialogue".

Ahead of the talks, Ukraine demanded an urgent meeting with Russia to explain why it has deployed more than 100,000 soldiers around its borders.

Over recent weeks, European leaders have warned that the build-up is the worst threat to the continent's security since the Cold War, with Putin demanding a rollback of Western influence in eastern Europe and a ban on Ukraine joining NATO.

Western allies have prepared what they warn would be a crippling package of economic sanctions in response to any attack, the threat of which a German government source said was, "very critical, very dangerous."

A Russian tank fires on the field during military drills in Leningrad region | AP/PTI

Alarm has been fuelled by recent Russian military exercises, including with Belarus, where the US said Moscow had dispatched 30,000 troops for more than a week of drills.

Russia's Defence Minister Sergei Shoigu told Putin that some of the drills taking place in Russia and waters around the country were "ending" and more would end "in the near future". In Kyiv, Ukraine's Defence Minister Oleksiy Reznikov meanwhile hailed "positive" talks with his Belarusian counterpart. He said he had been assured "there are no threats to Ukraine from Belarus".

US intelligence officials worry that weeks of crisis talks have given Russia the time to prepare a major offensive should Putin decide to attack Ukraine.

Ukraine requested a formal meeting with Moscow earlier Monday and other members of the pan-European security body, the OSCE, that might explain "the reinforcement and movement of Russian forces along our border".

Near the frontline separating Kyiv-held territory from areas under the control of Moscow-backed insurgents in the separatist east, underprivileged children in the care of church groups were helping with war preparations. *AFP*

initial exchanges with leaders in European capitals and Washington showed enough of an opening for progress on Russia's ambitions to be worth pursuing — Sergei Lavrov, Russian foreign minister

Ukraine president's ratings nosedive

Kyiv: As a political novice making an unlikely run to be Ukraine's president, Volodymyr Zelenskyy vowed to reach out to Russia-backed rebels in the east who were fighting Ukrainian forces and make strides toward resolving the conflict. The assurances contributed to his landslide victory in 2019. But after 2 years in office, Zelenskyy is watching his support dissolve. Many seem to have little confidence that Zelenskyy can ensure political stability. According to a January poll by the Kyiv International Institute of Sociology, only 30% of the country's people want Zelenskyy to run for a second term and even fewer, 23%, would vote for him. *AP*

UK PM urges Russia to step back from 'precipice'

London: British Prime Minister Boris Johnson on Monday urged Russian President Vladimir Putin to step back from "the edge of a precipice", warning that an invasion of Ukraine could come within 48 hours. "You've got about 1,30,000 troops massing on the Ukrainian border. This is a very, very dangerous, difficult situation," Johnson told reporters. "We are on the edge of a precipice but there is still time for President Putin to step back," he added, echoing US warnings that an invasion could be imminent. Johnson called on Western allies to "stand together and show a united front", and on European leaders to learn the lessons from Moscow's actions in Crimea in 2014, when Russia annexed the peninsula. *AFP*

Zimbabwe suspends 1.35L school teachers

HARARE

A STRIKE by Zimbabwean teachers that has crippled learning entered a second week on Monday, with no resolution on sight after the government suspended 1,35,000 teachers for failing to report for work.

Many teachers did not report for work when schools opened for the first term of the new year last week, saying they could no longer afford the commute from their home to the classroom.

Teachers in Zimbabwe earn on average US$100 per month.

On Thursday, the education ministry said it was suspending teachers for three months for failing to report for duty.

Unions counted the numbers of suspended teachers at 135,000 out of the roughly 140,000 employed in public schools. "The government has closed schools by suspending more than 90 percent of teachers," Takavafira Zhou, president of Progressive Teachers' Union of Zimbabwe told AFP.

'CHINA, INDIA SHOULD FOLLOW THROUGH ON BORDER PACTS'

BEIJING

CHINA and India should "follow through" on the border agreements to uphold peace and tranquillity at the Line of Actual Control, a Chinese Foreign Ministry official said on Monday, after External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar blamed Beijing for the current situation at the LAC due to the disregard of written agreements by China.

"On the border issue, China always maintains that we should follow through on treaties and agreements we signed and we jointly uphold peace and tranquillity at the border region," Foreign Ministry spokesman Wang Wenbin said while responding to Jaishankar's remarks. "We hope the two sides will continue to maintain communication through military and diplomatic channels to resolve the outstanding issues," Wang said. Speaking at a joint press conference along with his Australian counterpart Marise Payne at Melbourne on Saturday, Jaishankar said when a large country disregards written commitments, it's an issue of legitimate concern for the entire international community.

When asked whether the India-China border stand-off issue came up for discussion during the Quad Foreign ministers' meeting here on Friday, Jaishankar replied, 'Yes'. "Yes, we (Quad) had a discussion on India-China relations because it was part of how we briefed each other about what was happening in our neighbourhood. And it's an issue in which a lot of countries legitimately take interest, particularly if they are from the Indo-Pacific region," he said. *PTI*

We hope the Indian side will abide by our agreements, and not issue irresponsible remarks... And wil uphold the peace and tranquillity along the border region with concrete actions

Wang Wenbin, Chinese foreign ministry spokesman

QuoteExpress

IF YOU'RE GOING THROUGH HELL, KEEP GOING

WINSTON CHURCHILL

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, the undersigned advocate on behalf of my clients **Smt. Ramakka & Others** have filed the above petition for the death certificate of **Chikkanarasimhappa S/o. Chikkanarasiga @ Narasiga was died on 22-02-2002** at Kondenahalli Village, Channarayapatna Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. If any parties, who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Prl Civil Judge & JMFC at Devanahalli and date of hearing on **18/03/2022 at 11.00 A.M. in C.Misc.No. 59/2022.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli

Sri Murali, Advocate

IN THE COURT OF THE CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, BENGALURU RURAL DISTRICT AT BENGALURU

CRL. MISC. No. 8/2022

BETWEEN: 1. Smt. Sharada W/o Late Ramesh, aged about 47 Years, **2. Sri. Muniraju .R** S/o late Ramesh, aged about 33 years, Both are R/at Lingarajapura Village, Shivekote Post, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bengaluru District. ... **PETITIONERS**

AND: The Tahashildar, Yelahanka Taluk, Yelahanka, Bengaluru. ... **RESPONDENT**

NOTICE

Whereas the Petitioners have filed above Petition for obtaining Death Certificate of **Late. Ramesh S/o Muniyappa,** thusband of petitioner No.1 and father of Petitioner No.2, who died on **26.10.2001** at Lingarajapura Village, Shivekote Post, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bengaluru District. If there are any persons having claim, they may appear before Court in person or through Pleader on **19-02-2022** at 11.00 A.M., failing which the Petition will be disposed off according to law.

Given under my hand & the seal of the Court on 25-01-2022.

By order of the Court, Sheristedar, Court of Chief Judicial Magistrate, Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore.

Advocate for Petitioners: **Sri. Prasanna Kumar T.N.** No.4, 1st Floor, "Ayodhya Complex" Mini Vidanasoudha Road, Yelahanka Bengaluru — 560 064.

IN THE COURT OF THE 1st ADDITIONAL JUNIOR CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC AT ANEKAL

O.S.NO.635/2006

Plaintiff: Smt, Manjula

V/s.

Defendants: Smt Kenchamma and others

I.A.NO.

Applicant/Plaintiff: Smt Manjula

D/0 late Bettappa, W/o Venu Gopal Aged about 22 years, R/ at Karpur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District

V/s.

Opponents/Defendants: Smt Kenchamma and others

Summons and Notice to the defendant No.8 and 11 under Order 5 Rule 20 (1- A) of CPC.

ADDRESSES OF THE DEFENDANTS 8 AND 11

D8. Sri Giriyappa, S/o Mariyappa, Aged about 54 years, R/at Karpur Village Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Bengaluru Urban District

D11. Sri Prathik Kumar, S/o Praful Kumar Aged about 47years, R/ at Row House No.1 Gold Field Enclave, South Main Road, Koreguan Park, Pune. Pincode-411001.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the plaintiff has filed above case against the defendants seeking the relief of partition and separate possession in respect of the schedule properties as under.

SCHEDULE

I.All the piece and parcel of the property bearing survey No.151/8, measuring 0.02 guntas, situated at Karpur Village, Kasaba Hbbli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, and boundad by: East by: Property belongs to Acharya Musami, West by:Properties belongs to Madappa, Yellappa @ Krishnappa, North by: Property belong to Beerappa, South by:Property belongs to Ashwathappa

2.All the piece and parcel of the property bearing survey No.96/1, measuring 0.10 guntas, situated at Karpur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, and bounded by: East by: Kallugode, West by: Properties belongs to Ashwathappa, North by: Property belongs to Shankaraiah, South by: Bridge

Item No.3. All the piece and parcel of the land bearing survey No.151/7, measuring 0.01 guntas, situated at Karpur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, and bounded by:

East by: Land of Ramaiah, West by: Land of Chikka Channappa, North by: Land of Veeranna, South by: Land of Nanjappa

Item No.4. All the piece and parcel of the land bearing survey No.137/5, measuring 0.01 guntas, situated at Karpur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, and bounded by: East by: Land of Narayanappa, West by: Land of Doddanna, North by: Land of Chinnappa, South by: Land of Nanjappa

Item No.5. All the piece and parcel of the land bearing survey No.136/4, measuring 0.08 guntas, situated at Karpur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, and bounded by:

East by: Land of Channa Mariyappa, West by: Land of D.Muniyappa, North by: Land of Ramanna, South by: Land of Marappa

Item No.6. All the piece and parcel of the land bearing survey No.150/3, measuring 0.01 1/2 guntas, situated at Karpur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, and bounded by:

East by: Land of Chikka Channappa, West by: Land of Ramaiah, North by: Remaining Land in same survey number, South by: Land of Ramaiah

Item No.7. All the piece and parcel of the land bearing survey No.151/10, measuring 0.01 guntas, situated at Karpur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, and bounded by:

East by: Land of Ramappa, West by: Land of Chikka Channappa, North by: Remaining Land in same survey number, South by: Land of Nanjappa

Item No.8. All the piece and parcel of the land bearing survey No.93/4, measuring 0.09 guntas, situated at Karpur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, and bounded by:

East by: Rajakaluve, West by: Land of Ashwathappa, North by: Rajakaluve, South by: Land of Muniyappa

If anybody has any objections in this regard you are hereby summons / Notice to appear before this court in person or by pleader on 15-03-2022 at 11'o' clock to answer the same, failing which the suit will be disposed of ex-party.

Given under my Hand Seal of the court on this day of 28-01-2022.

By Order of the Court

Sd/- Sheristedar, JMFC Court , Anekal.

Sd/- Sri.C.Suresha, Advocate
C.Muniyappa Building
Near Dr.Mohan Clinic, Attibele Road
New Pet Anekal Town.

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Branch Office : MG Road, Ramanagar - 562159

DEMAND NOTICE

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF THE SECURITIZATION & RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

Under Section 13(2) of the Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (the said Act) read with rule 3(1) of the security interest (Enforcement) rules, 2002 (the said rule) in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) of the said act read with Rule 3 of said Rule, the Authorized Officer has issued Demand Notices under section 13(2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrower(s)/Co-Borrowers, Guarantor/s, Mortgagor/s to repay the loan amount mentioned in the respective demand notices issued to them. in connection with above notice is hereby given once again to all the parties to pay within 60 days from the publication of all this notice, the amounts indicated herein below, together with further interest from the date(s) of Demand Notice till the date of payment. the detail of the Borrower(s) amount dues on date of Demand Notice and Security offered towards repayment of loan amount are as under - The Demand Notices had also been issued to you by registered post with acknowledgment due to your last known addresses available in the Branch records.

1) Borrower : M/s A.S Industries, Prop-Abhishek A.S, #77A/1, 4th Cross, Chamundeshwari Extension, Ramanagaram, Karnataka - 562159. **Guarantor :** Mr. A.S Somasekharaiah S/o Shivalinge Gowda, HM- CAEO,Mayagana Halli, Cluster, Mayagana Halli, Karnataka - 575511 **Loan A/c No. 0593285005330**, **NPA Date 04/02/2019, Demand Notice Dated 06-01-2022** and Amount **Rs. 905872.03/-** (Rupees Nine Lakhs Five Thousand Eight Hundered Seventy Two & three Paisa Only) with further cost and charges, **Description of the Property :** Mortgage Khata No Old 2150/136/3, New Muncipal No 312/2375/2150/C. PID No. 6-1-502-77A, Ward No-6, Chamundeswari Extension, Ramanagaram Town, **Extent -** East to West 40 feet, North to South 25 feet, in all 100sqft. Boundaries : Easy by : **Road,** West by : **Property of Bhaskar,** North by : **Property of Sukanya,** South by : **House of Venkatappa.**

2) Borrower : M A National Traders Prop- Rasheed Pasha S/O Late Khadar Mohinuddin 745/1 Yarab Nagara Ward No 24 Hunasanahalli Main Road Ramanagaram Karnataka-562159. **Guarantor :** Prop- Rasheed Pasha S/O Late Khadar Mohinuddin 745/1 Yarab Nagara Ward No 24 Hunasanahalli Main Road Ramanagaram Karnataka-562159. **Loan A/c No. 0593261005439**, **NPA Date 16.03.2019, Demand Notice Dated 07-10-2021** and Amount **Rs. 40,10,588.35/-** (Rupees Fourty Lakhs Ten Thousand Five Hundered & Eighty Eight and Thirty five Paisa Only) with further cost and charges, **Description of the Property :** Mortgage of land and building bearing municipal khaneshumari katha no-225/1154/10/2/B-15 site b-15, 226/1155/10/2/b-16 site b-16,227/1156/10/2/b-17, measuring **East to West** 9.753620 meters and from **North to South** 18.836678 meters all situated at Kothipura, 1st stage, Ramanagara Town, Ramanagara District, **Boundries :** EAST By: **property belongs to Muneer Ahmed,** WEST By: **remaining portion of property in site nos b-17,b 16 and b-15,** NORTH By: **remaining portion of property in site no b-15,** SOUTH By: **Hunasanahalli Main Road.**

3) **Borrower : M/s NA Silk Traders**, prop - Mohammed Saleem no. 517 3rd Cross 3rd Block Arkeshwara Colony Kothipura Ramanagaram, karnataka - 562159. **Guarantor :** Mr. Mohammed Saleem S/o Mohammed Noor #170 Tippu Masjid Road Tippu Nagar Ramanagaram Karnataka - 562159 **Loan A/c No. 0593261005444, NPA Date 21/03/2020, Demand Notice Dated 06-01-2022** and Amount **Rs. 8,99,915.80/-** (Rupees Eight Lakhs Ninty nine Thousand Nine Hundered Fifteen & Eighty Paisa Only) with further cost and charges, **Description of the Property :** Old Municipal Khatha No 15, New Municipal Khatha No. 18/16/15, PID No. 21-3-517-33 No-33, 3rd Cross, Block-3, Arkeshwara Colony, Ward No. 21, Kothipura, Ramanagara Town, Ramanagara District. **Extent -** East to West 22 ft, North To South 60 Feet, in all 1319.51 Sq ft. **Boundaries** EAST By: **House of Srinivas,** WEST By: **Property sold to Iliyaz Pasha in same number,** NORTH By: **Municipal Road,** SOUTH By: **Remaining Property in the same number belongs to Puttathayamma & Lalithamma.**

4) **Borrower : Smt Rathnamma** W\o Mr. Siddalingegowda PID NO 3-2-509-201A, Old No.1914/125/1 &1914/125 Ward No 3, No 201 A Block 2,6th Cross (5th cross) MG Badavane, Mangalavare Pete Channapatna Town RAMANAGARAM District KARNATAKA 562160. **Guarantor :** Mr. Mr. Siddalingegowda S/o Channanke Gowda, PID NO 3-2-509-201A, Old No.1914/125/1 &1914/125, Ward No 3, No 201, A Block, 2,6th Cross (5th cross) MG Badavane, Mangalavare Pete Channapatna Town RAMANAGARAM District KARNATAKA 562160. **Loan A/c No. 0593605000012, NPA Date 11/01/2021, Demand Notice Dated 06-01-2022** and Amount **Rs. 16,43,585/-** (Rupees Sixteen Lakhs Fourty Three Thousand Five Hundred Eighty Five Only) with further cost and charges, **Description of the Property :** NO 3-2-509-201A, Old No.1914/125/1 &1914/125 Assessment No 2721/125/1&2721/125 Ward No -3, No 201 A Block 2,6th Cross (5th cross) MG Badavane, Mangalavare Pete Channapatna Town RAMANAGARAM District **Extent -** East to West 9.14 Meters, **North To South** 12.19 Meters, in all 111.52 Sq Mtrs. **BOUNDARIES** EAST By: **Property No 3020509-199,** WEST By: **Property No 3-02-509-203,** NORTH By: **Road,** SOUTH By: **Property No-3-2-53-244**

5) **Borrower :Smt Summiya Sultana** W\o Mohammad Haroon Qureshi 3348 Masjid Ansar Kumandan Mohalla Ramanagaram Karnataka-562159. **Guarantor :** Mohammed Rafiq S/o MHD Jabbarm No16 3 1 18" Ward Umar Masjid Road Mahaboob Nagara Ramanagaram Karnataka-562159 **Loan A/c No. 0593619014075**, **NPA Date 14.05.2018, Demand Notice Dated 07/10/2021** and Amount **Rs. 11,56,829.80/-** (Rupees Eleven Lakhs Fifty Six Thousand Eight Hundered Twenty Nine & Eighty Paisa Only) with further cost and charges, **Description of the Property :** Old Municipal Kaneshumari no745/1/786/12/3b,new Municipal Katha No745/1a/786/12/3b/1, PID No-24-1-504-120 measuring. **Extent :** East To West 28 Feet, North To south 40 Feet, situated At 1 Cross, Block 1,ward No-24, Yarab Nagar, Kothipura 1st Stage, Ramanagara Town **Boundaries** : EAST By: **Municipal Road,** WEST By: **Property of Shamshuddin,** NORTH By: **Remaining Property of Akram Pasha,** SOUTH By: **Property of Mohammed Vazeer Jan**

6) **Borrower :M/s M S Q Industries Prop- Mohammad Adil Quraishi** Opp Jhoomtepeer Yarab Nagara Ramanagaram Karnataka - 562159 **Guarantor :** Mr. Mohammad Adil Quraishi 140/a 4232/a 12th Ward, 4th Cross, Opp Municipal Office Extension, Ramanagaram, Karnataka - 562159. **1) Loan A/c No. 0593773011849**, **NPA Date 04/02/2018, Demand Notice Dated 06/01/2022** and Amount **Rs. 4,35,293.49/-** (Rupees Four Lakhs Thirty Five Thousand Two Hundred Ninty Three & Fourty nine Paisa Only) with further cost and charges, 2) **Loan A/c No. 0593261005422**, **NPA Date 04/02/2018, Demand Notice Dated 06/01/2022** and Amount **Rs. 20,78,977.69/-** (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Seventy Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy Seven & Sixty nine Paisa Only) with further cost and charges.

Description of the Property :

1- Municipal Khata No-215/745/395/215 and Khata No-216/745/395/216 (PID :24-5-552-153) Situated at Kotthipura Bettada Thappalu, Ward No. 24 Ramanagara Town and District. **Extent-**East to West **12.192024 Meters,** North To South **18.288037 Meters,** in all 222.9672 Sq Meters. **Boundaries** : EAST By: **Road,** WEST By: **Site No- 220,** NORTH By: **Site No-217,** SOUTH By: **Road.**

2- Municipal Khata No-214/743/395/214 (PID: 24-5-552-155)site Situated at Kotthipura Bettada Thappalu, Ward No.24, Ramanagara Town and District. **Extent-**East to West **12.192024 Meters,** North To South **9.144018 Meters,** in all 111.4836 Sq Meters. **Boundaries** EAST By: **Road,** WEST By: **Site No. 218,** NORTH By: **Site No- 221**, SOUTH By: **Road.**

3- Municipal Khata No-216/746/395/217 (PID: 24 5-552-151) site Situated at Kotthipura Bettada Thappalu, Ward No. 24 Ramanagara Town and District. **Extent-** East to West **15.240030 Meters,** North To South **10.668021 Meters,** in all 162.580250 Sq Meters **boundaries** : EAST By: **Road,** WEST By: **Site No- 220,** NORTH By: **Site No- 218,** SOUTH By: **Road.**

4 Municipal Khata No 217/747/395/218 (PID: 24-5 11-68) site, Situated at Kotthipura Bettada Thappalu, Ward No. 24 , Ramanagara Town and District. **Extent -** East to West **12.192024 Meters,** North To South **9.144018 Meters,** in all 111.4836 Sq Meters **Boundaries** : EASTBy: **Road,** WESTBy: **Private Property,** NORTH By: **Site No- 220,** SOUTH By: **Road.**

5 Municipal Khata No-218/748/395/219 (PID: 24-5 553-218) site Situated at Kotthipura Bettada Thappalu, Ward No. 24 Ramanagara Town and District. **Extent -** East to West **12.192024 Meters,** North To South **9.144018 Meters,** in all 111.4836 Sq Meters. **Boundaries :** EAST By: **Site No-217,** WEST By: **Road,** NORTH By: **Private Property,** SOUTH By: **Road.**

6- Municipal Khata No -219/749/395/220 (PID 24-5 553-216) site, Situated at Kotthipura Bettada Thappalu, Ward No. 24. Ramanagara Town and District.**Extent -** East to West **12.192024 Meters,** North To South **9.144018 Meters,** in all 111.4836 Sq Meters. **Boundaries :** EAST By: **Private Property,** WEST By: **Road,** NORTH By: **Site No - 219,** SOUTH By: **Private Property**

If the said Borrowers shall fail to make payment as aforesaid, Canara Bank shall proceed against the above secured assets Under Section 13(4) of the Act and the applicable Rules, entirely at the risk of the said Borrowers as to the cost and consequences. The said Borrowers are prohibited under the Act from transferring the aforesaid assets, whether by way of sale, lease or otherwise without the prior written consent of Canara Bank. Any person who contravences or abates contravention of the provision of the said Act or Rules made there under, shall be liable for imprisonment and/ or penalty as provided under the Act.

Place: Ramanagara
Date: 05.02.2022

Sd/- Authorized Officer
Canara Bank Ltd.
Ramanagara Branch

Aadhar Housing Finance Ltd.

Aadhar Housing Finance Ltd

Corporate Office : 802, Natraj By Rustomjee, Western Express Highway, Sir M.V. Road, Andheri East, Mumbai - 400069, Maharashtra.

KR Puram Branch : Office No. 1218, 2nd Floor, Pooja Complex, Old Madras Road, K R Puram, Bangalore-560036, (KA).

Malleshwaram Branch : NO 16/12 , Nagarathna Nilaya , 1St Floor 1St A Cross , 2nd Main , 150 Feet Ring Road, Nandhini Layout 2nd Block, Opposite to RajKumar Smarak / Nr Kanteerva studio, Bangalore :- 560096, (KA).

Nelamangala Branch : 1st floor, Katha No. 658/A, Vinayaka Nagar, Arishinakunte, Near Honda Showroom, Nelamangala, Banglore-562123, (KA).

APPENDIX IV POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Aadhar Housing Finance Limited (AHFL) under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, Demand Notice(s) issued by the Authorised Officer of the company to the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s) mentioned herein below to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s) and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-Section (4) of the Section 13 of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement rules, 2002. The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub –section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of AHFL for an amount as mentioned herein under with interest thereon.

Sl No.	Name of the Borrower(s) / Co-Borrower	Description of Secured Asset (Immovable Property)	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Date of Possession
1	**(Appl No.00208568) Kr Puram Branch** **Manjunatha L** (Borrower) **Pavithra M** (Co-Borrower)	Eastern portion of Site No.32/2, Katha No.158/32/2/4B, Kammasandra Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluka, Bangalore - 560049, Karnataka and Bounded on : **East by :** Property of Sumitra, **West by :** Remaining property of Western portion, **North by :** 15 Feet Road and **South by :** Property of Dupanalli Anjinappa.	**15-11-2021 ₹ 8,93,940.00** (Rupees Eight Lakhs Ninety Three Thousand Nine Hundred Forty Only.)	09-02-2022
2	**(Appl No.V0134233 and V0134236) KR Puram (Old Branch Whitefield) Branch** **Thimmaiah Papanna** (Borrower) **Nagarathna H N** (Co-Borrower)	1) Site No.47, Khatha No.35/1-2, Valagerehalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluka, Bengaluru - 560060, Karnataka and Bounded on : **East by :** Site No.46 of Subbegowda, **West by :** Site No.48 of Balaraju, **North by :** Property of Sathyanarayana and Doddanna and **South by :** Road. 2) Site No.7, Khatha No 35/1 & 35/2, Valagerehalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluka - 560060, Karnataka and Bounded on : **East by :** Site No.8, **West by :** Site No.6, **North by :** Road and **South by :** Property of S. H. Krishnappa.	**15-11-2021 ₹ 21,61,563.00** (Rupees Twenty One Lakhs Sixty One Thousand Five Hundred Sixty Three Only.) and **₹ 19,30,541.00** (Rupees Nineteen Lakhs Thirty Thousand Five Hundred Forty One Only.)	09-02-2022
3	**(Appl No.00331239) Malleshwaram Branch** **Late.Kumar R** (Borrower) **(Represented Through Their Legal Heir)** **Pramila K** (1st Co-Borrower) **Arjun R K** (2nd Co Borrower)	Site No.06, Khata No.23/3, Assessment No.23/3, Hullegowdanahalli Village, Sondekoppa Gram Panchayat, Dasnapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk - 562123, Karnataka and Bounded on : **East by :** Property of Bailayya, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Site No.5 and **South by :** Site No.7.	**15-11-2021 ₹ 12,55,823.00** (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Fifty Five Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty Three Only.)	10-02-2022
4	**(Appl No.00382884) Malleshwaram Branch** **Vinayak K Patil** (Borrower) **Anitha Vinayak Patil** (Co-Borrower)	Site No. 11, Old Assessment No.14/2A2, Present Assessment No.14/3, Siddanahosahalli Village, Dasanapura Hobali, Bangalore North Taluka - 562123, Karnataka and Bounded on : **East by :** Road, **West by :** Property of others, **North by :** Site No.10 and **South by :** Site No.12.	**15-11-2021 ₹ 8,34,388.00** (Rupees Eight Lakhs Thirty Four Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Eight Only.)	10-02-2022
5	**(Appl No.00470423) Nelamangala Branch** **Late.Ravi H** (Borrower) **(Represented Through Their Legal Heir)** **Vidya S** (Co-Borrower)	North Portion of Site No.14, Assessment No.72, Khta No.72, BBMP Ward No.70, Shree Gandad Kavalu Village, Rajagopalnagar, I.P. Nagar, Nanjundeshwar Temple Road, Yashwanthpur Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluka 560072, Karnataka and Bounded on : **East by :** Road, **West by :** Property No.27, **North by :** Property No.15 and **South by :** Remaining South Portion of same Site Number.	**15-11-2021 ₹ 8,02,234.00** (Rupees Eight Lakhs Two Thousand Two Hundred Thirty Four Only.)	10-02-2022

Place : KR Puram, Malleswaram and Nelamangala.
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Market Watch

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1747.08 ▼	Sensex	56,405.84	▲ Dollar	75.57
531.95 ▼	Nifty	16,842.80	▼ Euro	85.49

LIC share pricing seen in ₹1,706-2,133 range

Issue size of ₹53,952 cr-67,456 cr, largest ever IPO in India, is expected to receive good response from investors

RAM SAHGAL @Mumbai

MARKETS estimate that the government could price the LIC share at the upper end of ₹1706-2133 based on market cap to embedded value multiple of two to two-and-a-half times. That would translate into an issue size of ₹53,952 crore -67,456 crore, making it the country's largest-ever IPO. The issue is expected to receive good response from the public.

From a valuation perspective, the most attractive life company is SBI Life, at ₹1,096, and the costliest are HDFC Life at ₹557 and ICICI Pru Life at ₹502.6 based on Monday closing, with private life insurers priced at a 3-4 times embedded value multiple.

The embedded value, consisting of adjusted net worth and value of in-force business, is the metric for valuing insurance firms.

"Market consensus seems to be favouring a 2-2.5 times multiple," said Siddarth Bhamre, director, research at InCred Equities.

Bhamre also feels that the offer for sale involving the government offloading 5% of its holding will be oversubscribed given, "the size of LIC and the goodwill it enjoys."

Market analyst Ambareesh Baliga expects the issue size at around ₹70,000 crore, that it would "sail through" given the insurer's status as a "household name which no fund manager could afford to ignore, it's being managed by heavyweight merchant bankers and the LIC's potential to become an index stock, going forward."

Baliga said that only a correction in Nifty from the current level (16850-17000) to 14000-15000 would make subscription a "challenge."

The pricing is based on the jump in the embedded value to almost ₹5.4 lakh crore by September 30, 2021, from just ₹95,605 crore six months ago because of the bifurcation of a fund into participating and non -participating businesses. This will result in shareholders receiving a higher proportion of surplus in the participating business, going forward, while shareholders will get a 100% allocation in the non participating business.

"Generally, the appetite for LIC IPO will be high from common & new investors given its mammoth public brand value," said Vinod Nair, research head of Geojit Financial Services.

Covid claims, mortality reserves up

Bengaluru: During the pandemic, just like other private insurance companies, Life Insurance Corporation (LIC) of India too had to deal with a sudden increase in claims, as the total death claims paid out in FY21 increased to ₹23,927 cr (8.29% of its total claims) from ₹17,528 crore in FY20. LIC said for the six months ended Sept 30, 2021, its total death claims paid out stood at ₹21,734 crore, which is 14.47% of its total claims. Also, according to the draft red herring prospectus, LIC has created a separate mortality reserve of over ₹2,344.5 cr for FY21 and set aside ₹7,419.5 cr for the six months ended Sept 30, 2021 for the pandemic. "Currently, we believe the mortality loading in premium rates is adequate for the long term due to the expected duration of the pandemic," the company said. The pandemic and the related lockdowns adversely affected sales of LIC's individual policies in Q4 of fiscal 2020, as policies were down 22.66% to 6.35 m from 8.21 m in the 4th quarter of fiscal 2019. The first quarter of FY21 and FY22 saw 46.20% decrease to 1.91 million policies and 34.93% decrease to 2.31 million policies. However, in Q2 of FY22, its new individual policies stood at 5.05 million and group policies issued were 7.87 million. Its persistency ratio decreased as of Mar 31, 2020. LIC's persistency ratio by individual business in the 13th month was 72% as of March 31, 2020 compared to 77% in the year-ago period, it said.

TO TAKE CHARGE BY APRIL 1

Tata Sons appoints Ilker Ayci as CEO & MD of Air India

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TURKISH Airlines former chairman Ilker Ayci has been given the mammoth task to turnaround Air India (AI). Tata Sons, which took control of AI from the government of India last month, on Monday, appointed Ayci, 51, as the chief executive officer and managing director of Air India.

Ayci will assume his responsibilities on or before 1st April 2022 and his appointment is subject to requisite regulatory approvals.

N Chandrasekaran, chairman of Tata Sons, said, "Ilker is an aviation industry leader who led Turkish Airlines to its current success during his tenure there. We are delighted to welcome Ilker to the Tata Group where he would lead Air India into the new era."

Ever since Tata won the competitive bid for AI in October'21, several names from corporate world popped as potential executives to head the recently privatised airline.

According to a senior industry analyst, it would be a herculean task for the new executive to cut down losses, streamline operations and restore AI's glorious past. AI's losses is pegged at ₹9,000-10,000 this fiscal and Covid-19 continues to remain a worrying factor for the industry.

Ayci, said, "I am delighted and honored to accept the privilege of leading an iconic airline and to join the Tata Group. Working closely with my colleagues at Air India and the leadership of the Tata Group, we will utilize the strong heritage of Air India to make it one of the best airlines in the world with a uniquely superior flying experience that reflects Indian warmth and hospitality."

JOINT VENTURE

Vedanta ties up with Foxconn for production of chip in India

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ANIL Agarwal's Vedanta group on Monday partnered with Technology Group Foxconn to manufacture semiconductor chips in India. The companies signed an MoU to form a joint venture company, and as per the deal, Vedanta will hold a majority of the equity in the JV, while Foxconn will be the minority shareholder.

"The targeted project plans to invest for manufacturing semiconductors. It will provide a significant boost to domestic manufacturing of electronics in India. Discussions are currently ongoing with a few state governments to finalise the location of the plant," said the companies in a statement.

To boost the semiconductor manufacturing in the country, the government announced a policy to offer ₹76,000-crore production-linked incentive. Vedanta has said that it will invest up to ₹60,000 crore to set up a sophisticated chip and glass manufacturing ecosystem in India over the next three years. This will be the first joint venture in the electronics manufacturing space after the announcement of the policy.

"This first-of-its-kind joint venture between the two companies will support Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi's vision to create an ecosystem for semiconductor manufacturing in India," said the company in a statement.

Ambani's wealth now $2.4-3 bn more than Adani's

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AFTER temporarily becoming Asia's richest billionaire last week, personal wealth of Gautam Adani, chairman of Adani Group, saw a sharp decline on Monday owing to significant fall in group company stocks on the bourses.

This decline has now widened the gap between his and Reliance Industries' chairman Mukesh Ambani's personal wealth. According to Bloomberg Billionaire Index, Asia's richest Mukesh Ambani's wealth stood at $89 billion on Monday as against Gautam Adani's $86.6 bn, a gap of $2.4 bn.

According to Forbes Real Time Billionaire Index, the gap between the two billionaires was nearly $3 billion with Ambani's wealth estimated at $88.8 billion and Adani's wealth pegged at $85.9 billion. Forbes' index noted that Adani wealth plummeted by $3.9 billion on Monday while Ambani's wealth saw a decline of $1.4 billion.

Amid a global sell-off, Adani stocks plummeted by up to 9% on Monday. Share prices of Group's flagship Adani Enterprises fell 5.65% while that of Adani Power closed 9% lower on Monday. Similarly, Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone, Adani Green, Adani Total Gas and Adani Transmission fell between 2-5%. On the other hand, share prices of RIL closed only 1.59% lower on Monday even as benchmark Nifty and Sensex lost 3% points.

After being a close second for months, Adani on February 8 became the richest person in India and Asia, surpassing the fortune of Ambani.

Adani Enterprises posts net loss of ₹12 cr in Dec quarter

SURPRISING the street, Adani Group's flagship Adani Enterprises Ltd (AEL) on Monday posted consolidated net loss of ₹12 crore (attributable to the owners of the company) for the December ended quarter (Q3FY22). The company had reported net profit ₹297 crore during the same quarter last fiscal (Q3FY21).

AEL's consolidated income from operations stood at ₹18,758 crore for the quarter, as against ₹11,620 crore in the corresponding quarter a year ago. Total expenses rose to ₹19,048 crore in Q3FY22 from ₹11,304 crore in Q3FY21.

On standalone basis, AEL's net loss stood at ₹36 crore as against profit of ₹117 crore in the corresponding quarter last fiscal. AEL said the results are not comparable with those of previous period due to consolidation of Mumbai Airport.

"The Group has acquired 97.97% stake in GVK Airport Developers Limited, its subsidiaries (including Mumbai International Airport Limited) and joint ventures on 13th July 2021. The Group has also acquired 100% equity stake in Bowen Rail Operations Pte Ltd on 14th July 2021. Accordingly, these entities have been consolidated as subsidiaries and joint ventures (as applicable) in these consolidated financial results," said AEL. The Group's next generation businesses of AdaniConneX (Data Center segment — JV with EdgeConneX) is on track. *ENS*

EXPRESS READ

Jio Platforms to buy 17% in Glance for $200 m

New Delhi: RIL Group's digital entity Jio Platforms will acquire about 17 per cent stake in SoftBank-backed Inmobi's Glance platform for USD 200 million (about ₹1,500 crore). The proposed deal values the company at $1.8 billion. Glance, which provides mobile lock screen content, including videos and advertisements, will use the funds to double down on growth in Asia as well as launch in key global markets, including the US, Brazil, Mexico and Russia. "The transaction will take place at the enterprise value of Glance at $1.8 billion," a source told PTI.

Future Retail's Q3 net loss widens to Rs 1,063.4 cr

New Delhi: Future Retail Ltd (FRL) on Monday reported the widening of its consolidated net loss to ₹1,063.36 crore for the third quarter ended on December 31, 2021. The company had posted a net loss of ₹846.92 crore in the corresponding quarter last year, FRL said in a BSE filing. Its total income in October-December 2021 jumped 86.85% to ₹2,815.68 crore, against ₹1,506.87 crore in the year-ago period. Total expenses of FRL, which operates retail stores BigBazaar, fbb, Foodhall, Easyday and Nilgiris, stood at ₹3,890.02 cr, a 62.66% jump as against ₹2,391.43 cr.

Govt, RBI on same page on crypto: FM

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THE government and the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) are on the same page on crypto currency, finance minister Nirmala Sithraman told media on Monday dispelling speculations that the two might have any difference on the matter. The finance minister was addressing the media after her meeting with the RBI Board on Monday.

"Both RBI and the government are on board on this issue. The discussion between the RBI and the government continues on the issue of crypto currency. The matter was discussed before the budget and also after the budget," the finance minister said on the question if there are differences of opinion between the two on the issue. She reiterated that whatever decisions have been taken on cryptocurrency and digital rupee, they have been taken after discussions with the RBI.

The RBI has maintained a very stringent stance on cryptos calling private digital currencies a risk to financial stability of the country. Following its stance, there were expectations that the government might ban all kinds of private crypto currencies.

However, in the budget the FM brought a provision to tax cryptos instead of going for a blanket ban, thus giving rise to speculations that the RBI and the government have difference of opinion.

Meanwhile, RBI deputy governor T Rabi Sankar, at an event organised by the Indian Banking Association on Monday, said that cryptocurrencies threaten the financial sovereignty of a country and make it susceptible to strategic manipulation.

CULT.FIT BUYS GOLD'S GYM STAKE

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@ Bengaluru

HEALTH and wellness startup Cult.fit on Monday said that it became the master franchise partner for Gold's Gym in India, as it acquired a majority stake in F2 Fun & Fitness India, for an undisclosed sum.

Cult.fit recently acquired RPM fitness, Fitkit, Onefitplus and Urban Terrain. Zomato-backed wellness platform recently completed a $150 million Series F fundraise and entered the coveted unicorn club.

This year, the wellness platform aims to continue scaling its business across the country, including non-metro cities and towns.

The second largest player in fitness with over 140 outlets in 90 cities, Gold's Gym is a popular fitness chain, and has presence in Tier 1, 2 and 3 markets. It aims to touch 200 clubs in 24 months.

As part of this strategic partnership, Cult.fit will be investing in scaling the revenue of existing Gold's Gym centres and facilitating centre expansion through franchisees in coming years.

Cult.fit with this partnership will also look to expand the Gold's Gym brand across key geographies such as Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Maldives, Nepal and Bhutan.

Naresh Krishnaswamy, Growth and Marketing Head, Cult.fit, said, "Partnering with Gold's Gym, we will be able to strengthen our network further and together, we aim to build immense value into the fitness ecosystem."

Founded in 2016 by Mukesh Bansal and Ankit Nagori, Cult.fit provides fitness-related services through a mix of online and offline channels.

Shiprocket acquires majority stake in Glaucus

Bengaluru: Logistics and fulfillment platform Shiprocket on Monday said that it has acquired a majority stake in Glaucus Supply Chain Solutions, a supply chain management company, for an undisclosed amount. With this acquisition, Shiprocket looks to accelerate development of new solutions to ramp up the post purchase process across trade channels. Glaucus was launched in 2015 by Vivek Kalra, Nitin Dhingra, Mandeep Kanwal and Jayant Mahto. The company's offerings include D2C marketplace fulfillment, B2B distribution and sales return management. "There is a very clear need to remove the fulfillment complexity across B2B and B2C channels for our clients and help them focus on what they do best - make and sell products," said Saahil Goel, Co-Founder and CEO of Shiprocket.

TODAY'S STOCK PICK

BHARTI
Current Price ₹689
Target Price ₹910

Africa business remains a low-leverage, healthy, growing biz. Healthy FCF, coupled with an `52b rights issue, Google fund and tariff hike benefit, consistent annual deleveraging is expected to continue. We expect 24% CAGR in consolidated EBITDA over FY21-24E.
— Motilal Oswal Securities Limited

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AGAINST CCI ORDER

NCLAT adjourns hearing on Amazon plea till Feb 25

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NCLAT on Monday has adjourned till February 25 the hearing on Amazon's plea seeking a stay on the Competition Commission of India's order, which had suspended the 2019 approval for Amazon's deal to acquire a 49% stake in Future Coupons Pvt Ltd (FCPL).

In December 2021, the antitrust agency had put into "abeyance" its 2019 approval for Amazon's investment in Future Coupons (FCPL) and imposed a ₹202 crore fine on the US company as it found that Amazon had withheld certain information concerning Amazon's strategic interest in Future Retail. On January 9, Amazon approached the NCLAT, challenging the CCI order.

According to the CCI order, Amazon was asked to pay a fine of ₹200 crore before February 16. However, post Monday's hearing, the antitrust body has agreed to wait till the next hearing on February 25 before taking action.

A two-member bench decided to push the hearing to February 25 as one of the members is retiring in the next four days, according to sources. It was a week ago that the appellate tribunal had decided to take up the matter on Feb 14.

The dispute has been going on since the e-commerce giant dragged the latter to arbitration at SIAC in Oct 2020. Amazon argued that FRL violated their contract by entering into a deal for the sale of its assets to Reliance Retail for ₹24,500 crore.

Puts stay on action for not paying ₹200-cr fine

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Jio ties up with Luxembourg firm to offer affordable broadband services

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@ New Delhi

JIO Platforms Limited (JPL), a digital arm of Reliance Industry Limited (RIL), on Monday informed that it has formed a joint venture with Luxembourg-based SES to provide affordable broadband services in India leveraging satellite technology.

Jio Platforms will own 51% stake in the joint venture while SES, a leading global satellite-based content connectivity solutions provider will own 49% stake. The companies said the joint venture will use multi-orbit space networks that are a combination of geostationary (GEO) and medium earth orbit (MEO) satellite constellations capable of delivering multi-gigabit links and capacity to enterprises, mobile backhaul and retail customers across the length and breadth of India and neighbouring regions.

"While we continue to expand our fibre-based connectivity and FTTH business and invest in 5G, this new joint venture with SES will further accelerate the growth of multigigabit broadband. With additional coverage and capacity offered by satellite communications services, Jio will be able to connect the remotest towns and villages, enterprises, government establishments, and consumers to the new digital India," said Akash Ambani, Director of Jio.

The joint venture will be the vehicle for providing SES's satellite data and connectivity services in India, except for certain international aeronautical and maritime customers who may be served by SES. It will have availability of up to 100 Gbps capacity from SES and will leverage Jio's premiere position and sales reach in India to unlock this market opportunity.

The joint venture will develop extensive gateway infrastructure. Jio has entered into a multi-year capacity purchase agreement, based on certain milestones along with gateways and equipment purchase with total contract value of circa ₹$100 million.

Business & Beyond

Pressman Advertising, Signpost India merger

Pressman Advertising Ltd (Pressman) along with its promoters have signed a definitive Memorandum of Understanding with Signpost India Pvt Ltd (Signpost) and its promoters to join hands and pool their resources to create a larger entity which will be mutually beneficial to all the stakeholders. Signpost and Pressman propose to merge the two companies to create a larger and stronger entity, subject to statutory, regulatory and other approvals including relevant third-party consents.

RPF men felicitated for president award

Archana Joshi, General Manager, South Eastern Railway felicitated Sanjeet Kumar Ram, Head Constable and BN Rao, Constable Railway Protection Force (RPF), South Eastern Railway, for being conferred with the Uttam Jeewan Raksha Padak and Jeewan Raksha Padak, 2021 respectively by the President of India. The felicitation was held on Feb 8.

Injured Washington out of West Indies T20s

All-rounder Washington Sundar was on Monday ruled out of the three-match T20 International series against the West Indies due to a hamstring injury. Washington came back to competitive cricket in the Vijay Hazare Trophy after a long layoff due to a hand injury sustained in July. Kuldeep Yadav has been named as replacement for the T20Is.

VOCAL FOR LOCAL

Pace value: Auctions reestablish franchises demand for homegrown pacers

VENKATA KRISHNA B @Chennai

A COUPLE of days before the entry list for the IPL auctions was out, one of the franchises, who usually indulge in extensive homework, abruptly called-off of a mock auction. The reason was simple. News had already started filtering in about how the likes of Ben Stokes, Chris Woakes will give this edition a miss. Add the uncertainty about Australian pacers and their history of pulling out at the last moment, the franchise executive points out how those next few days completely altered their math.

Some of the franchises that this newspaper spoke to revealed they anticipated Indian bowlers being the most sought after, the moment it was clear that some of the English players would miss the tournament. And with Australia scheduled to tour Pakistan, it too contributed to the auction dynamics being changed completely.

"We didn't know at that point who all will make the tour, but even if all of them went, they would be unavailable for at least two weeks given the quarantine protocols in mind. Also they were going to be in Pakistan amidst tight security arrangements and in a bubble. Add two months of bubble life in IPL, and the quarantine rules back home in Australia, we were not sure whether all of them would commit to the IPL. So naturally, all our focus turned to Indian fast bowlers," a franchise official said.

So ahead of each mock auctions, several franchise officials reveal how they set aside a separate budget for the pacers, only to keep increasing it almost every other day as it was evident that there was going to be a huge demand than the supply. Each team needed a minimum of seven Indian players who could slot into the XI, but finding the right ones, especially quality ones was impossible, as all said and done, the talent pool wasn't as big.

"Teams, they have understood the need to have home grown Indian fast bowlers because they are the ones who are used to local conditions and it is quite natural franchises went for them. The rotation policy and the 'A' team exposure tours has also made an impact because they have got the recognition through those matches and have delivered. There is a good pool of fast bowlers in the Indian team — around nine to ten — and all the teams have picked one of them at least. You could make out that every team will go for one at any cost and they had the budget for that," Lakshmipathy Balaji, the bowling coach of Chennai Super Kings who was present at the auction table, told this daily.

With the Indian pacers costing a fortune, what is also evident is none of the teams were able to pair them together and franchises chose the next rung of local pacers. Punjab Kings are the lone team which doesn't have an Indian pacer with international experience, but by the time the fast bowlers set came in, they had already acquired Kagiso Rabada for ₹9.25 crore. Among Indians, Deepak Chahar, Shardul Thakur, Prasidh Krishna, Avesh Khan, Harshal Patel cost ₹10 cr and more.

Balaji, who played for Chennai and Kolkata, before taking up the coach role, believes this is a fair reflection of India's fast-bowling culture.

"A few years back, bowling at excess of 140 kmph was overrated. Now the skill levels of Indian fast bowlers has completely changed. Be it pace or seam, the development of fast bowlers has gone to the next level. The likes of Jasprit Bumrah and Mohammed Shami are setting a trend which is being followed by many youngsters," he said.

CHAMPIONS' NIGHT

Two of the main contenders in this year's Champions League go head to head as the knockout stages begin. A look at two of the prequarterfinal clashes on Tuesday...

SPORTING VS MANCHESTER CITY

On paper, the Premier League champions Man City are one of the most in-form sides in the world. Having rocked up an enough lead in the title race, Pep Guardiola can focus on winning the holy grail. They begin favourites against the Portuguese outfit, who have struggled to keep clean sheets in 2022. Saying that, they do have a varied forward line (Pedro Goncalves, Pablo Sarabia and Paulinho) capable of nicking a goal. They will need that against a City outfit who breeze through games with minimal fuss. **Live on Sony Ten 1, 1:30 AM**

PARIS SAINT-GERMAIN VS REAL MADRID

The Parisians have been here before. They have even outclassed the so-called bigger clubs but are yet to win the whole thing. Even if Mauricio Pochettino is yet to imprint his ideals on this team, they have only lost one game in the league and are coming into the match on the back of a four-match winning run in the league. For Real, it's a question of scoring, something they have done only once in the last three. **Live on Sony Ten 2, 1:30 AM**

VFI to roll out Indian Volleyball League

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Chennai

THE Volleyball Federation of India (VFI) finally launched their own franchise-based league. The Indian Volleyball League, as it is called now, will be hosted in partnership with Europsort — Discovery Network's premium sports brand. The new league is expected to have six to eight teams and is likely to be held in the June-July window this year.

The league will feature top India players and would consider those registered with the VFI. According to Ramavtar Singh Jakhar, players who would feature in nationals and Federation Cup would be considered. He said he is unaware of any other volleyball league in the country. "We don't recognise any other volleyball league so I will not be able to say much about the league or players involved in it," he said.

However, he said the federation knows its talent pool and would back all its domestic players who play in in their recognised tournaments.

As for the players contracted with other leagues, Jakhar said, he did not know because no one had sought permission from the VFI. But he is sure the league would attract big international players from abroad.

The new league, sanctioned by the Asian Volleyball Confederation and the international body (FIVB), is expected to give a big boost to the sport, that is otherwise very spectator friendly. Jakhar said a lot of things will be clear in the next few months.

According to VFI president Achyuta Samanta, this would be a big moment for the sport in the country. "We are sure they will help us take the league to places and together we aim to uplift the sport's standard in the near future as one of the top international volleyball leagues globally," he said

The proposed league will also be an annual feature in the global volleyball calendar.

"It is a momentous occasion for Indian volleyball, and we are thrilled to have a globally respected brand like Discovery on board with us," Samanta added in his statement.

EXPRESS READ

Foundation stone laid for new NCA complex

BENGALURU: Work has begun on the country's new National Cricket Academy (NCA) with the BCCI brass, including president Sourav Ganguly and secretary Jay Shah, laying the foundation stone of the complex here on Monday.

Calicut Heroes beat B'luru Torpedoes in PVL

BENGALURU: The Calicut Heroes registered their first victory in the Prime Volleyball League after defeating Bengaluru Torpedoes 15-12, 15-12, 15-9, 14-15, 15-13 in Hyderabad on Monday. They have hence picked up two points.

Blasters down EB, jump to third spot in ISL

GOA: Kerala Blasters FC breached the top-four positions after their 1-0 win over SC East Bengal in ISL on Monday. The Yellows reached the third position from sixth, thanks to Enes Sipovic's goal in the 49th minute.

BFC U15 Girls set for KSFA Women's 'A' Division

BENGALURU: In what is a historic moment for Bengaluru FC's Youth Development program, the BFC U15 Girls' team will face Modern Girls FC in the KSFA Women's 'A' Division League, their maiden competitive appearance, at the BFS on Tuesday. Tanvi Nair has been named captain. Levanah Samuel is the head coach.

Reverse vs France a concern for India

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN @Chennai

THE next 12 months is perhaps very critical if the men's hockey team is to reap the benefits of the bronze medal at the Olympics. With three important events lined up — Commonwealth Games (July), Asian Games (September, doubling up as Olympic qualifier) and World Cup (January 2023) — further wins will help define the legacy of Graham Reid's reign.

That home stretch towards another home World Cup began in earnest in the Pro League (PL) at Potchefstroom over the last week. A near full-strength Indian team racked up the goals against the hosts over two legs but the matches offered further indication of a perennial Achilles Heel: a lack of patience. They lost the return leg against France 2-5 and one only had to listen to Gregg Clark, the team's analytical coach. During a short briefing after the third quarter (India were trailing 1-2 at this point), he was stressing the virtues of patience to a team that went in search of scoring without any set structure.

The South African support staff used the 'patient' as many as four times in the one minute debrief. "Just stay patient, you will get one chance to stick into their goal. Just stay patient out there." In the next 15 minutes, India had the ball but France picked them off on the break and scored three more goals to emerge 5-2 winners.

What changed between the first (5-0 win) and the second match (2-5 loss) against France? According to French captain, Gaspard Baumgarten, they studied the video of the first game to right their wrongs.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Early exit for Prajnesh

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

IT has been a disappointing couple of weeks for one of India's top singles players Prajnesh Gunneswaran. After failing to impress in the Tata Open Maharashtra, the 32-year-old was hoping for a better show in the back-to-back Challenger events in Bengaluru. But, things have fallen flat in the Garden City as well. If he lost in the second round last week, the man from Tamil Nadu suffered a first round exit with a straight set loss to top seed Aleksandar Vukic at the Bengaluru Open 2 ATP Challenger at the KSLTA Stadium on Monday.

Gunneswaran looked quite decent early on in his match, but Vukic managed to get a crucial break in the third game which played an important role in helping the Australian win the first set. Then Vukic jumped to a 2-0 lead after a break in the very first game and repeated the feat in the fifth game for a decisive 4-1 lead post which he managed to close out the contest with a solid down the line winner.

Prajnesh Gunneswaran | FILE PHOTO

However, that is not the end of the road for Indians with five players still in the fray. One of them, Arjun Kadhe has moved into the next round after an easy win over Adil Kalyanpur 6-2, 6-2. The strongest Indian competitor in the fray is seventh seed Ramkumar Ramanathan, who will face Frenchman Mathias Bourgue on Tuesday.

In one of the other matches of the day, Dimitar Kuzmanov created one of the biggest upsets as the Bulgarian brushed aside the challenge of the second seed Hugo Grenier from France in straight sets. He won 6-4, 6-3 to move into the next round.

RAJASTHAN RAJYA VIDYUT PRASARAN NIGAM LIMITED

NOTICE INVITING BID (BN-2810002104)

Bids for Construction of 132 KV 3-phase transmission line on D/C towers form 132KV GSS, Ladnu to Railway TSS at Sanvrad on Labour Contract Basis are invited from interested bidder's upto 18:00 Hrs. on dated 24.03.2022.
Other particulars of the bid may be visited on the procurement portal (http://eproc.rajasthan.gov.in, http://sppp.rajasthan.gov.in) of the state and http://energy.rajasthan.gov.in/rvpn departmental website.
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RRVPN/TR-5346/2022
Raj.Samwad/C/21/11675 **Superintending Engineer (T&C) Merta City (Nagaur)**

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY

e-Tender Notice

Tender No : 51,52/SE/PHC/TSR/2021-22. JJM-2021-22 - WSS to Chazhur, Thanniam and Anthikad Panchayaths in Thrissur District - Phase II- Providing Distribution Network and FHTC to Chazhur Panchayath, KIIFB - Augmentation of CWSS to Nattika Firka Phase-I – Package II. EMD : Rs. 500000. Tender fee : Rs. 16800. Last Date for submitting Tender : **28-02-2022 03:00:pm**. Phone : 0487 2423230. Website : **www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in**.
KWA-JB-GL-6-1051-2021-22 Superintending Engineer, PH Circle, Thrissur

MANGALURU SMART CITY LIMITED

M.G. ROAD, LALBAGH, MANGALURU-575003, DAKSHINA KANNADA, KARNATAKA.

Advertisement No.:124/2021-22/ Date: 09.02.2022

Short term E-Tender Notification

Mangaluru Smart City Limited invites Short term E-tender for **"Development of Mangaladevi Bus Terminal and Upgradation of Urban Primary Health Centre"** interested bidder (registered licensed class 1 contractor) may obtain required details from e-procurement website of Karnataka vide tender notification no. UDD/2021-22/BD/WORK_INDENT1528 **(www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in)**. Amount put to tender 364.29 lakhs. The bidders have to participate through e-procurement only the website is **http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in.** If any changes in tender process will be updated only in e-proc website.
Last date for submission of tender: 02.03.2022
Sd/- **Managing Director**
DIPR / MNG / 1001/ MPL / 21-22 **Mangaluru Smart City Limited, Mangaluru**

KARNATAKA HOUSING BOARD

3rd Floor, Cauvery Bhavan, K.G.Road, Bengaluru - 560009.

Short Term Tender Notification (Through E-Procurement portal)

Karnataka Housing Board invite tender from the eligible contractors who are empanlled / to be empanlled in Karnataka Housing Board through E-procurement.

Last date for submission of bid : 28-02-2022 up to 4.00 PM

Sl.No.	Name of work
1	Construction of District Office Complex at Vijayapura, Vijayapura District. Work Indent No. KHB/2021-22/BD/WORK_INDENT 874/ CALL-2 Date: 14.02.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs. 18,78,23,081/-.

For further information, contact below mentioned office address: **Executive Engineer, Karnataka Housing Board, 3rd Floor, Cauvery Bhavan, Bengaluru Phone No. 080-22273511 / 080-22100077, website : https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**
Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
DIPR/DDU/3364/AKAR/2020-21 **Karnataka Housing Board, Bengaluru**
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KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919
KALINADI HYDRO ELECTRIC PROJECT-AMBIKANAGAR

No. KPCL/2021-22/AUCTION210 Date: 11.02.2022

e-Auction Notification (Through GOK e-procurement Portal only)

The Executive Engineer (MSP)-A invites bids from reputed bidders for tender cum e-auction for the sale of released/scrap materials, cable & batteries at KPCL, Ambikanagar store and GDPH Hidkal dam as detailed in the table given below: **Location:** Ambikanagar store & GDPH Hidkal dam KPCL. EMD: 4,076/- (Variable). **Last date to confirm participation:** 03.03.2022 upto 17:30 hrs. **e-Auction date:** 15.03.2022 09:00 Hrs to 17:30Hrs. The interested parties may participate in e-auction for the released/scrap materials as details in schedule, online submitting required documents and paying EMD through e-procurement portal of GoK. For queries/clarification may please contact office of the EE(MSP)A, KPCL Ambikanagar-581363, Ph.: 08284-258681 or e-mail:eemspa@gmail.com

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
(RAICHUR THERMAL POWER STATION)
CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919

No:KPCL/2021-22/EL/WORK_INDENT 12110 Dated: 10.02.2022

e-TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through e-procurement portal only)

Tenders are invited from reputed Manufacturers or rewinder of Complete Repair / Rewinding of Marathon make 6.6KV, 280 KW, 1480 RPM Ash Water Pump-8A HT Motor of Unit #8 at Raichur Thermal Power Station. **EMD: Rs.12,611/-.** The last date for submission of Bid (Both cover 1 & 2) along with documents to meet qualification criteria: 05.03.2022 upto 16:00 hrs. The tender documents may be downloaded from GoK e-Procurement Website: **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in under login for contractors.** Further details can be had from **Superintendent Engineer (EM-2) RTPS/KPCL,** Shaktinagar-584170, Raichur Dist., Karnataka. Mobile: 9449596528. Email: seem2@karnatakapower.com Website: www.karnatakapower.com

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No.: SJICR/TS/78/2021-22 **Date:14-02-2022**

CORRIGENDUM

e-Tender Notification No. **SJICR/TS/78/2021-22 dt.09-02-2022** published in English daily "Indian Express" and Kannada daily "Vishwavani" newspapers on 10-02-2022 towards **Establishment of Lab with required equipment at SJICR, KRS Road, Mysuru** has been withdrawn due to administrative reasons.

Sd/- Chief Administrative Officer.

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED
(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.: 506/BGM/SE(E)/C/W&M/AEE(W)/21-22/8999-9007 Date: 11.02.2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION (e-procurement mode only)

KPTCL invites bids for R&M and Capital Civil Engineering works coming under the Jurisdiction of Superintending Engineer (Elecl.), Transmission(W&M) Circle, KPTCL, Belagavi. The detailed notifications regarding the above Civil Engineering works enquiry in the e-procurement process can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL's website: **www.kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** on hyperlink **"e-procurement-KPTCL"** or to **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in on or after 5.30 Hrs on 15.02.2022.** Other details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Ele.)
Transmission (W&M) Circle, KPTCL, Nehru Nagar, Belagavi-590010. Phone: 0831-2950835/2950836

North Western Karnataka Road Transport Corporation
Dharwad Rural Division Dharwad

Notice Inviting E-Tender No:01/2022 (Through e-Procurement)

Application are invited through E-Procurement for selection of Licences to the stalls, Advertising Display through LED TV various bus Station & Cleaning Contractor at pay and use systems at various bus Station that come under the jurisdiction of Dharwad Division. Tender Documents can be downloaded through E-Procurement Website "Karnataka E-Procurement Portal" till **04.03.2022** Time 17:00 hours, the last date submission for Online Application is **05.03.2022** up to17:00 hours. And Tender Opening on **07.03.2022** Time 11:00 Hrs The Persons Who Are Having DCS (Digital Signature Certificate) is Eligible to participate in the Tender. For more Details Bidders may contact the above Office are through phone Mob: **7760996271** (Divisional Traffic Officer). & **7760129545** ATS.

Notice Inviting Manual Tender No:01/2022

Application are invited through Manual Tender selection of Licences to the Stalls, Advertising Display through Holdings and Glow sign boards at various bus stands that comes under the Jurisdiction of Dharwad Division. Interested Bidders can take application Forms at the office of Divisional Controllers, Dharwad Division Dharwad. from **13.02.2022** at 10:00 Am to **04.03.2022** up to 13:00 Hrs. Tender Opening Date is On **07.03.2022** at 15:30 Hrs. For more Details Bidders may contact the above Office through Mob : **7760996271** (Divisional Traffic Officer). & **7760129545** ATS.

Sd/- Divisional Controller
DIPR/DWD/MCA/1022/2021-22 **NWKRTC, Dharwad Division, Dharwad.**

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GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DIVISION, CHITRADURGA

No. EE/PWD/CTA/AE-1/Tender-106/2021-22 **Date:10.02.2022**

SHORT TERM E-TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through e-Procurement portal only) (Two Cover System)

Tenders are invited from registered Contractors in KPWD for the following works through e-Procurement Portal as per standard tender documents rules. Eligible Contractors may participate in website : **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in/eportal/index.seam**

Sl. No.	Name of the work	Estimate Cost (Rs. in Lakhs)
	Head Account: 5054-04-337-0-01-422 SCP	
1	Package-1 1) Construction of CC Road and Drain at Haikal Village SC Colony in Chitradurga Taluk (W.I. 146628). 2) Improvements of Road at BHN Haikal Road to baggularangavvanahally in Chitradurga Taluk (W.I 148143) (W.I. 148146)	400.00
	Head Account: 5054-04-337-0-01-423 TSP	
2	Package-1 1) Construction of CC Road and Drain at Haikal Village ST Colony in Chitradurga Taluk (W.I. 146632). 2) Improvements of Road at BHN Road to Kotehatti Chinnurithippayyanahatti Village in Chitradurga Taluk (W.I 148148).	325.00

Tender dates are as mentioned below: 1) Last Date & Time for tender Clarifications: **18.02.2022, 17:30 hrs. 2)** Last Date & Time for receipt of tenders: **19.02.2022, 16:00 hrs. 3)** Date & Time for opening of Technical bid: **21.02.2022, 16:01 hrs. 4)** Date & Time for opening of Financial bid: **23.02.2022, 11:00hrs**. Further details can be obtained from this office and H.P. Company helpline Nos.: 080-25501216 & 080-25501227.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
DIPR/CTA/JA/907/2021-22 **Public Works Department, Division Chitradurga**

KARNATAKA NEERAVARI NIGAM LIMITED
(A Government of Karnataka Enterprise)
Executive Engineer,KNNL,GLBC,Dn-3, Bilagi. Phone No- 08425-275228 Fax- 08425-275217
Email Id:- eeknnlglbcdn.3bilagi@gmail.com

No- KNNL/GLBC-3/DB/Tender/2021-22/2161 **Date- 11.02.2022**

ADDENDUM
(This office Tender Notification No.2011 Dt:29.01.2022) (Through e-Procurement only)

Modified Conditions for the above Tender Notification are as follows

Tender Condition Serial No	Specification as per Tender Notification	As modified Specification (Now read as)
Pre-Qualification Criteria: (for Individual bidders/ Joint Venture Bidding 4.5 b)	The intending bidder (Individual/JV) should have supplied, erected, tested, completed and commissioned MS pipes of not less than 2072 mm diameter for a length of at least 7.67 Km in any one year during last 5 years (i.e., from 2016-17 to 2020-21). The work done certificate should be obtained from a competent authority not below the rank of Executive Engineer of the concerned division and counter signed by the Superintending Engineer of the concerned circle.	The intending bidder (Individual/JV) should have supplied, erected, tested and completed MS pipes of not less than 900 mm diameter for a length of at least 7.67 Km in any one year during last 5 years (i.e., from 2016-17 to 2020-21). The work done certificate should be obtained from a competent authority not below the rank of Executive Engineer of the concerned division and counter signed by the Superintending Engineer of the concerned circle.

Further Details are remains unchanged in the above Tender Notification
Sd/-Executive Engineer
DIPR/BGK/RO-NO-565/MCA/2021-22 **KNNL, GLBC Div No.3 Bilagi**

STATE BANK OF INDIA

ASSETS RECOVERY MANAGEMENT BRANCH (ARMB), BENGALURU

Authorised Officer's Details:
Shri. Vinaya K Rama Bhat
E-mail ID: sbi.40564@sbi.co.in
Mobile No: 9448946013
Landline No.(office): 080-25943765/25943769

Mysore Bank Building, BKG Complex,
'A' Block, 2nd Floor,
Avenue Road, Bengaluru-560 009.
Telephone:080-25943765/25943769
E-MAIL: sbi.40564@sbi.co.in

"APPENDIX- IV-A

[See proviso to Rule 8 (6)]

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF MOVABLE / IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

e-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

1. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers/guarantor, that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured creditor, Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of State Bank of India, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis on **05.03.2022** for recovery of Rs.41,78,203/- (Rupees Forty one lakhs seventy eight thousand two hundred and three only) as on 24.01.2022 + interest + expenses and costs, due to State Bank of India, Secured creditor from **Sri. Ambarish K C** (Borrower/s).
The reserve price, earnest money deposit and bid increment amount and last date for receipt of EMD will be as under:-

property No.	Reserve Price (Below which the properties will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment amount	Last date for receipt of EMD
1	Rs.17,60,000/-	Rs.1,76,000/-	Rs.10,000/-	04.03.2022

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Tender No: SBI/ARMB/VRB/BFI/64186736723/64186737239/2021-22/22

Property No. 1–(Title deed holder: Sri. Ambarish K C S/o Sri. Chandregowda)

(i) All that piece and parcel of the residential apartment bearing Flat No: A5, 1BHK on the first floor with a Super built up area of 575.0 Square feet, together with RCC roofing, Vitrified tiles flooring along with One covered car parking space in the stilt floor including proportionate share in common areas such as lobbies, passages, lifts, staircase and terrace rights contains with the Apartment known as "AISHWARYA ENCLAVE" along with 186.36 Sq.ft. undivided share, rights, title and interest of land held in the name of **Sri. Ambarish K C S/o Sri. Chandregowda** and flat bounded as follows East by: Open to Sky, West by: Open to Sky, North by: Flat No.A6 and South by: Open to Sky.
Apartment Constructed in the property bearing Site No.3, V. P. Katha No.3/3, BBMP present Katha No.3/3 situated at Thippasandra Raghuvanahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, presently within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore and measuring as follows
Item No.1: East to West : 58.0 Feet, and North to South : 54.6 Feet, Totally measuring : 3161.0 Square feet.
Item No.2: East to West : 49.0 Feet, and North to South : 46.0 Feet, Totally measuring : 2254.0 Square feet.
Item No.3: East to West :8.0 Feet, and, North to South :22.0 Feet, Totally measuring :176.0 Square feet.
Total land measuring Item No.1 + Item No.2 + Item No.3 totally measuring 5591.0 Square Feet with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded on East by: Road and Bore well belonging to Basavanna and Doraiswamy's Property, West by: Converted Land, North by: Gangamallaiah's Property and South by: Chennappa's Property.

2. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers/guarantor, that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured creditor, Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of State Bank of India, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis on **05.03.2022** for recovery of **Rs.47,58,192/-** (Rupees Forty seven lakhs fifty eight thousand one hundred and ninety two only) as on 11.01.2022 + interest + expenses and costs, due to State Bank of India, Secured creditor from **Sri.Anantharamu N** (Borrower). The reserve price, earnest money deposit and bid increment amount and last date for receipt of EMD will be as under:-

property No.	Reserve Price (Below which the properties will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment amount	Last date for receipt of EMD
2	Rs.37,72,000/-	Rs.3,77,200/-	Rs.20,000/-	04.03.2022

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

SBI/ARMB/VRB/BFI/64174101345/2021-22/23

Property No. 2– (Title deed holder: Sri. Anantharamu N S/o Sri. Nanjunda Shastry)

(i) All that piece and parcel of the residential immovable property bearing Site No.34, old Bommanahalli Nagarasabha Khatha No.207/8/2-34, BBMP Katha No.206/201/207/201/8/2/34, situated at Roopena Agrahara Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk comes under the Jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 25feet in all measuring 1000 Square feet with building thereon held in the name of **Anantharamu** and bounded on: East by: Site No.31, West by: Road: North by: Site No.33, South by: Site No.35.

For further details regarding inspection of the property the intending bidder may contact the Authorised Officer, State Bank of India, Asset Recovery Management Branch, Bengaluru- during office hours, Phone No. 080-25943765/25943769 or Bank's approved Resolution Agent, M/s. BFI Factoring Services Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore, Cell No.8660590654
To the best of knowledge of the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on any of the above said properties. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.

Place: Bengaluru
Date : 11.02.2022

Sd/- Authorised Officer
State Bank of India
ARMB, Bengaluru

VEERASHAIVA SAHAKARI BANK LTD.,

Administrative Office : No.1732/32, M.C.Road, M.C.Layout, Vijayanagara, Bengaluru-560040 Phone : 080 23307070 / 23358017 Fax : 23148550
E-mail : vsbbengaluru@gmail.com

AUCTION SALE OF THE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY

Auction Sale under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest 2002 of the Residential Flats mortgaged with **M/s. Veerashaiva Sahakari Bank Ltd,** Admin. Office : No.1732/32, M.C.Road, M.C. Layout, Vijayanagara, Bengaluru-560040. The Auction is under '**AS IS, WHERE IS AND WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS**'

Sl. No.	Name & Address of the Borrower and Guarantor	Description of the Residential Property Mortgauged to Bank	Amount Due to the Bank	Date of Public Auction
1.	**Smt Shantha** W/o Doddanna S. No. 500, Channanayakanapalya New Layout, Doddabidarakallu, Nagasandra, Tumkur Road, Bangalore-560073 **Name of the Guarantor:** **1) Sri Doddana S.** S/o Late Suguruppa, **2) Sri Suguresh R.D.** S/o Sri Doddanna s. both residing at the above address **Loan A/c No. 1) MTLN / 500 (Vijayanagara Branch)**	Property standing in the name of **Smt. Shantha** W/o Doddanna S Property bearing No. 35, Khaneshumari No. 35, Gramatana Khatha No. 88, Channanayakanapalya Doddabidarakallu, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Now under BBMP Jurisdiction. **Measuring East to West : 40 feet, North to south : 25 feet, Total 1000 Sq feet, and bounded on:** East by : Road, West by : Property No. 36 North by : Property No. 34 belongs to Sri Doddanna S. South by : Road	**Principle Due Rs. 14,56,899-00** (Rupees fourteen lakh fifty six thousand eight hundred ninenty nine only) as on 09-02-2022 and **Interest overdue Rs. 2,02,508-00** (Rupees two lakh two thousand five hundred and eight only) upto 31-01-2022 and further interest & other charges as applicable.	**25-03-2022 Friday at 11.00 a.m.**
	Reserve Price **Rs. 55,20,000-00** (Rupees Fifty five lakh twenty thousand only)	**EMD** (Refundable) **Rs. 5,52,000-00** (Rupees five lakh fifty two thousand only)		

Demand Notice U/s 13(2) of the Said Act on 13-07-2021
Possession Notice U/s 13(4) of the said Act on 20-09-2021

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF AUCTION SALE

1. The Public Auction will be conducted in the premises at **Veerashaiva Sahakari Bank Ltd.,** Admin. Office, No. 1732/32, M.C.Road, M.C.Layout, Vijayanagara, Bengaluru-560 040.
2. Bids should be submitted in a closed cover addressed to the Authorised Officer and should reach the above address accompanied by a refundable interest free EMD, in the form of **RTGS/NEFT/Pay Order/Demand Draft** of a Scheduled Bank favouring of **Veerashaiva Sahakari Bank Ltd.**, Bengaluru. A/c **Smt Shantha W/o Doddanna S.** payable at Bengaluru on or before 4.30 P.M. on 24-03-2022
The sale will be in **'AS IS WHERE IS AND WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS'.**
3. The property will not be sold below the **'RESERVE PRICE'**
4. The Successful bidder should pay 25% of the bid amount (inclusive of EMD) immediately on the same day and the balance 75% of the bid amount within 15 days thereafter. If the successful bidder defaults in effecting payment or fails to adhere to the terms of sale in any manner, the amount already deposited will be forfeited and he/she shall not have any claim on such forfeited amount or to the property, which will be sold subsequently.
5. On confirmation of sale by the authorised officer and if the terms of payment have been complied with the authorised officer exercising the power of sale shall issue a sale certificate of Immovable property in favour of the purchaser in the form given in appendix-V of the Securitisation Act, 2002.
6. The EMD of the unsuccessful bidder will be returned immediately on conclusion of the auction.
7. At any stage of the auction, the authorised officer shall have the power to accept or reject the bids or postpone/ cancel the auction without assigning any reason thereof including addition or deletion of other terms.
8. All other charges, expenses like conveyance, Electricity, BWSSB, Legal, Stamp duty, Registration Fee, Arrears of Tax charged if any, shall be borne by the purchaser only.
For further details, Please contact the Branch Manager, Vijayanagar Branch, during office hours between 9.00 AM to 4.30 PM on any working day. Contact Telephone No. 080 23307070 & Mobile No.9986038902 or Authorised Officer, Contact Telephone No. 080 23358017 & Mobile 9886038903.
9. For inspection of the property and other particulars, the intending bidders are at liberty to make their own inspection/assessment, enquiries about the property
10. The Sale is subject to the confirmation by the bank. This **is also a notice to the borrower for information and necessary action.**

Bengaluru
Date :14-02-2022

sd/-
Authorised Officer,
Veerashaiva Sahakari Bank Ltd.,
Bengaluru-560 040

IN THE COURT OF THE CITY CIVIL JUDGE AT BANGALORE- (CCH-56)
P & SC NO.639 OF 2021
IN THE MATTER OF THE DEBTS AND GOODS OF
LATE SRI. MANNAN MOHAMMEDBHAI, AERANPURWALA, INTESTATE

PETITIONERS : 1. MRS. HUSENA MOHAMADI ERANPURWALA, Wife of Late Sri.Mohamadi Sujaddin Eranpurawala, aged about 77 years, No.2563, 28th Cross, 22nd Main, 2nd Stage, Banashankari, Bangalore - 560070, Represented by her general power of Attorney Mrs. Sharifa Mannan Aeranpurwala.
2. MRS. SHARIFA MANNAN AERANPURWALA, Wife of late Sri.Mannan Mohammedbhai Aeranpurwala, aged about 56 years, Apt. No.1135, TMFT - 1, 13th Floor, Sy.No.32/1 & 33/2, Jyothi Farms Bus Stop, Thalaghattapura, Kanakapura Road, Bangalore - 560062.
3. MR. ADNAN MANNAN AERANPURWALA, Son of Late Sri.Mannan Mohammedbhai Aeranpurwala, aged about 30 years, Apt. No.1135, TMFT - 1, 13th Floor, Sy.No.32/1 & 33/2, Jyothi Farms Bus Stop, Thalaghattapura, Kanakapura Road, Bangalore - 560062.
4. MRS. FATEMA MUFADDALRANGWALA, Daughter of Late Sri.Mannan Mohammedbhai Aeranpurwala, aged about 33 years, Apt. No.1135, TMFT - 1, 13th Floor, Sy.No.32/1 & 33/2, Jyothi Farms Bus Stop, Thalaghattapura, Kanakapura Road, Bangalore - 560062.

V/S

RESPONDENTS : NIL

NOTICE

WHERE AS, the Petitioners above named have filed a petition under section 371 & 372 of the Indian Succession a Act, 1925 and Muslim Personal Law (Shariat) Application Act, 1937 Seeking a grant of Succession Certificate in Respect of the Movable Estate of Late Sri. Mannan as give in the Schedule property, Be it known that no Caveat has been lodged and the aforesaid petition is posted hearing on **09.03.2022 at 11.00 A.M in CCH-56 at The City Civil Complex, Bangalore.** Any Person/s Having any objection to the grant of succession by the court may come and see the proceedings before the grant of permission in favour of the petitioners.

SCHEDULE

SL.NO	DESCRIPTION OF THE MOVABLE PROPERTIES	VALUE
	SHARES HELD IN D-MAT FORM WITH HDFC BANK DP Account No.4124146 DP ID : IN300476	
1.	APOLLO TYRES LIMITED INE438A01022	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 66,915/-
2.	BHARAT ELECTRONICS LIMITED INE263A01024	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 278,206.50/-
3.	EDELWEISS FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED INE532F01054	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 13,730.00/-
4.	ENGINEERS INDIA LIMITED INE510A01028	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 7590.00/-
5.	GANDHI SPECIAL TUBES LIMITED INE524B01027	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 108,300.00/-
6.	GUJARAT NARMADA VALEYFERT. AND CHEM.LIMITED INE113A01013	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 31,300.00/-
7.	LARSEN AND TOUBRO LIMITED INE018A01030	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 287,000.00/-
8.	MOTHERSON SUMI SYSTEMS LIMITED INE775A01035	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 30,967.50/-
9.	NMDC LIMITED INE584A01023	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 6932.50/-
10.	PTC INDIA LIMITED INE877F01012	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 41,550/-
11.	SH KELKAR AND COMPANY INE500L01026	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 56,200.00/-
12.	STATE BANK OF INDIA INE062A01020	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 648,240.00/-
13.	TATA STEEL LIMITED INE081A01012	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 128,992.50/-
14.	THE TINPLATE COMPANY OF INDIA LTD INE422C01014	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 117,355.00/-
15.	NIPPON INDIA MUTUAL FUND INF204KB1715	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 19,750.00/-
16.	IDFC FIRST BANK LIMITED INE092T08CM5	Balance as on 05.04.2021 Rs. 20,200.04/-

Given under my hand and seal of the Court, This 9th Day Of February 2022

By Order Of The Court Assistant Registrar,
City Civil Court, Bangalore

Address of Plaintiffs Counsel :
CRESTLAW PARTNERS ADVOCATES,
No.33, 1st Cross, Victoria Road, Xavier Layout,
Bangalore - 560047, Ph. No. 080-41473535.

THE BHARAT CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

Mathikere Branch
No:#1047, Opposite M S Ramaiah College Bus Stop, Triveni Road,
Mathikere, Devanarapalya, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560022

POSSESSION NOTICE See Rule - 8(1) (For Immovable Property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **The Bharat Co-Op Bank Ltd., Mathikere Branch, Bangalore,** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the power conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 has issued a Demand Notices calling upon the Borrowers / Mortgagors / Guarantors to repay the amount mentioned In the notice within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.
The Borrowers / Mortgagors / Guarantors having failed to repay the amount, Notice is hereby given to the Borrowers / Guarantor / Mortgagors and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 said Rules on **09.02.2022**
The Borrowers / Mortgagors / Guarantors in particular and the Public in General are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charges of the **The Bharat Co-Op Bank Ltd., Mathikere Branch, Bangalore,** for an amount interest and Other Charges mentioned below.
The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : 1) Mr. J Chandrashekar Reddy S/o V K Jayaram Reddy, **2) Mrs. Padmavathi M** W/o J Chandrashekar Reddy, **both are residing at**: No.10, 6th Main, 4th Cross, Mohankumaranagar, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore-560022.
Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.1,59,39,807/- (Rupees One Crore Fifty Nine Lakhs Thirty Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Seven Only) as on **08.11.2021** and interest thereon.
Demand Notice Dated : 17.11.2021
Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing BBMP No.29, (Old No.29/1 and 1A), PID No.2-161-29, Ward No.2 of Jalahalli, 8th Main Road, Mohankumarnagar, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore-560022, measuring (a) East to West 31.5 feet and North to South 40 feet and (2) East to West 30 feet and North to South 15 feet and bounded by the following boundaries: East by: Road, West by: Property No.2, North by: Property No.4, South by: Property No.1A. East by: Road, West by: Property of Others, North by: Property No.1, South by: Property of Others.

2. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : 1) Mr. Jagan Mohan Raju M S/o Krishnam Raju M **Proprietor of M/s. Sree Balaji Constructions**, No.506, 5th Cross, HRBR Layout, II Block, Kalyananagar, Bangalore-560043. **2) Mrs. Rajalakshmi M** W/o Jagan Mohan Raju No.506, 5th Cross, HRBR Layout, II Block, Kalyananagar, Bangalore-560043.
Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.3,08,56,656/- (Rupees Three Crore Eight Lakhs Fifty Six Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Six Only) as on **29.09.2021** and interest thereon.
Demand Notice Dated : 08.10.2021
Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Site No.5C-506, II Block, HRBR Layout, Banasawadi, Ward No.88, PID No.88-254-5C/506, Bangalore, measuring East to West 12.20 Meters/ 40 feet and North to South 18.30 Meters/60 feet and bounded by the following boundaries: East: Site No.5C-508, West: Site No.5C-504, North: 5th Cross Road, South: Site No.4EC-505.

3. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : 1) Mrs. Narayanamma W/o Thimmaiah V. **2) Mr. Nagesh T** S/o Thimmaiah V both are residing at No.59/A, II Cross, Gokul I Stage, Bangalore-560054.
Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.17,45,970/- (Rupees Seventeen Lakhs Forty Five Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy Only) as on **08.11.2021** and interest thereon.
Demand Notice Dated : 17.11.2021
Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing New Municipal No.32/1, (Old BDA No.59A), II Cross, Gokul 1st Stage, 1st Phase, Ward No.3, Yeshwanthpur, PID No.3-33-32/1, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 60 feet and North to South 15 feet and bounded by the following boundaries: East: Site No.88, West: Road, North: Site No.60, South: Site No.59.

4. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : 1) Mrs. Pillamma K W/o Gopal M. **2) Mr. Gopal M both are residing at** No.80/1, II Block, 1st Main, Juganahalli, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010.
Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.80,54,920/- (Rupees Eighty Lakhs Fifty Four Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty Only) as on **29.09.2021** and interest thereon.
Demand Notice Dated : 08.10.2021
Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Municipal No.80/80-1, (Old No.80), 1st Main, II Block, Rajajinagar, Ward No.15, PID No.15-1-80/80-1, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 31 feet, consisting of Ground, I,II,III and IV Floor and bounded by the following boundaries: East: Remaining portion of the same property of Vijaykumar K and Janardhan K, West: Property of Bachappa, North: Property of Muniswamappa, South: Road.

5. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : 1) Mrs. Rajeevi B N W/o Late B Narayana Rao, **2) Mr. B N Raghavendra 3) Mrs. B N Reshma 4) Mrs. B N Rekha 5) Mrs. N Suhasini all residing at**: No.160/10, Kanteerava Studio, Main Road, Parimala Nagar, Nandini Layout, Bangalore-560096.
Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.72,90,159/- (Rupees Seventy Two Lakhs Ninety Thousand One Hundred Fifty Nine Only) as on **29.09.2021** and interest thereon.
Demand Notice Dated : 08.10.2021
Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Site No.10, Municipal No.26/10, BBMP PID No.12-144-26, Kanteerava Studio Main Road, Parimalanagar, Bangalore, measuring East to West 40 feet, North to South 60 feet, consisting of Ground Floor and bounded by the following boundaries: East: Property of Ramaiah, West: Private Property, North: 80 Feet Wide Road, South: Site No.9 .

Date : 09.02.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The Bharat Co-Op Bank Ltd.

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Authorised Officer's Details:
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APPENDIX-IV-A

[See proviso to rule 8(6)]

Sale Notice for sale of immovable property

E-Auction Sale Notice for sale of Immovable Asset under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Mortgagers that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the Bank, the Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis on **03.03.2022** for recovery of **Rs.24,46,630.00** (Rupees Twenty Four Lakh Forty Six Thousand Six Hundred Thirty Only) as on 07.02.2022. You are also liable to pay future interest from 08.02.2022 at the contractual rate on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, cost, charges, etc., due to the Bank, the Secured Creditor from **(1) Sri.Shubhajit Sarkar** S/o Nityendra Chandra Sarkar and **(2) Smt. Piyali Pal Sarkar** W/o Shubhajit Sarkar.
The reserve price, earnest money deposit and bid increment amount and last date for receipt of EMD will be as under:-

Property No.	Reserve Price (below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment amount	Last date for receipt of EMD
1.	Rs. 31,77,698/-	Rs. 3,17,770/-	Rs. 30,000.00	28.02.2022

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Tender No: SBI/Jeevan Bima Nagar//01/2021-22
Name of the title deed holder: Sri.Shubhajit Sarkar S/o Nityendra Chandra Sarkar **and Smt.Piyali Pal Sarkar** W/o Shubhajit Sarkar
Schedule A of the property: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.23A, Khatha No.50/11/23A, Old No.50/11 situated at Sonnathammanahalli @ T.C.Palya, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk previously under the limits of Krishnarajapura CMC, now comes under the limits of BBMP, Bangalore measuring East to West 60.375 feet and North to South 54.8 feet, measuring in all 3308 Sq.ft. and bounded on East by: Private property, West by:Road, North by: Site No.23 and South by: Road.
Schedule B of the property : Residential Apartment bearing Flat No.F-03, in First Floor of "Sree Apartments" constructed on the Schedule A property having a super built up area of 998.18 sq.feet of which a built up area of 760.81 sq.ft and 328.22 sq.ft. of undivided share of interest in Schedule A property consisting of 2 Bedrooms with 2 toilets, kitchen, dining and living room, vitrified tiles flooring, sanitary, electrical wiring and other facilities equipped with 2 covered car parking space (measuring 150 sq.ft.) in the stilt floor standing in the joint names of Sri.Shubhajit Sarkar S/o Nityendra Chandra Sarkar and Smt. Piyali Pal Sarkar W/o Shubhajit Sarkar.

The sale shall be subject to provisions of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules,2002. For further details regarding inspection of the property the intending bidder may contact the Authorised Officer, State Bank of India, Jeevan Bima Nagar Branch, Bengaluru, during office hours, Phone No. 080-25270069 or Bank's approved Resolution Agent, Sri Devi Resolutions Pvt Ltd, Bangalore Representative: Sri. Jagadish, Cell No.9902401486.
To the best of knowledge of the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on any of the above said properties. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in https://bankeauctions.com, www.tenders.gov.in website i.e. www.sbi.co.in.

Date: 08.02.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-Authorised Officer
State Bank of India
Jeevan Bima Nagar Branch, Bengaluru.

KARNATAKA GRAMIN BANK

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Bellandur Branch Outer Ring Road, Bellandur Main Road, Bangalore Office, Bellandur, Bangalore-560 103

DEMAND NOTICE

(SECTION 13(2) OF SARFAESI ACT-2002) NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002 (HEREIN AFTER CALLED THE ACT)

At the request, Bank has extended credit facility to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its below mentioned Branch as under. The relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement / documents & creation of mortgage by way of deposit of the title deeds Simple mortgage are also furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/credit facilities have become irregular, the debt has been classified as Non Performing Asset in accordance with the directives / guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrower in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice dated as mentioned below sent by register post AD calling upon you, To pay the outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of the notice failing which the Bank will proceed against the bellow mentioned property under the Act was unserved / not acknowledge, Hence this paper notification.

1. (1) Sri. M. Anand S/o Muniyappa (2) Smt. Bhagyalakshmi C w/o M.Anand: Both are R/at No.1155, Old pump House road, Ramaiah Garden, Kadugodi Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk **(3) Sri. Anjinappa s/o Muniyappa (Guarantor)** R/at No.205, AKG Colony, Channasandra Village, Kadugodi Post, Bengaluru - 560067

Nature of Loan	Loan A/c No.	Date of Loan	Loan Limit (Rs)	Liability	Un-applied interest / charges from 01.12.2021 till the date of realization
Housing Loan	42200102002314	18.06.2014	Rs. 15,00,000/-	Rs.19,01,953.97	9% + 2 % Penal interest

Rs.19,01,953.97 (Rupees Nineteen lakh One thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Three paise ninety seven only) as on 30.11.2021 inclusive interest and cost
NPA Date: 18.12.2021 **Demand Notice Date: 28.12.2021**
Description of Property: Property is held in the names of sri. M.Anand s/o muniyappa & smt.Bhagyalakshmi c w/o m.Anand site having property no.301/2, Khatha no.395, Property measuring East to West: 21 ft, North to South: 33 ft Kadugodi, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk. Bounded on: East: Krishnamacharya Agarked's Property, West : Balance Portion No.301/2, North : Balance Portion of Property No.301/2, South: 15 Ft Road

2. (1) Sri. M. Balaraj S/o Late Mickellappa, (2) Smt.Vimala Mary Alias Vimala M D/o Late Mickellappa, R/at 11o.427,C/o. Kempapuri Ignasappa, Begur village, Post, Doddabegur, Near Quality Bakery, Bangalore 560068. **(3) Sri. Balaraj s/o Francis (Guarantor)** R/at 7,1st Main Road,Mohan Layout,Vittasandra Road,Begur,Bangalore-560068

Nature of Loan	Loan A/c No.	Date of Loan	Loan Limit (Rs)	Liability	Un-applied interest / charges from 01.12.2021 till the date of realization
Housing Loan	42200102002015	09.05.2015	Rs. 20,00,000/-	Rs. 21,08,063.50	9% + 2 % Penal interest

Rs. 21,08,063.50 (Rupees Twenty One lakh Eight thousand and Sixty Three paise fifty only) as on 30.11.2021 together with further interest and incidental expenses and cost
NPA Date: 18.12.2021 **Demand Notice Date: 28.12.2021**
Description of Property: Property is held in the name of Sri. M.Balaraj S/o Late Mickellappa Residential Northern portion of Property Khanesumari No.41, B.B.M.P. Khatha No. 45/41 Property Measuring East to West: 23 Ft, North to South : 50 Ft Begur village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk. Bounded on: East: Property belongs to Igneshappa, West: Remaining portion of the same Property belongs to Mr.M.Arogyaswamy & Shastri Abbaih, North: Property belongs to Dhandu Mariyappa and Road, South: Remaining portion of the same Property allotted to Mr. Anthony Swamy

3. (1) Kumari.Meghana D/o Nagaraj V (Minor represented by Natural Guardian Sri.Nagaraj. V (2) Kumari.Sanjana D/o Nagaraj V (Minor represented by Natural Guardian Sri.Nagaraj. V (3) Master.Tarun S/o Nagaraj V (Minor represented by Natural Guardian Sri.Nagaraj. V (4) Smt.Shaila w/o Nagaraj. V (5) Sri.Nagaraj V s/o Late Venkataswamy : All are R/at No.19, 16th main road, 12th cross, Sarakki Agrahara, J.P.Nagara 2nd phase, Bengaluru-560078 and also R/at 19/2,2nd Cross,16th Main,Near VET College, JP Nagar 2nd Stage, Bengaluru- 560078 (6) **Sri.Vajrappa s/o Venkataswamy (Guarantor):** R/at No.19, Vajra Compound, 15th cross, 17th main, Near VET College, Sarakki Agrahara, J.P.Nagara 2nd phase, Bengaluru-560078

Nature of Loan	Loan A/c No.	Date of Loan	Loan Limit (Rs)	Liability	Un-applied interest / charges from 18.09.2021 till the date of realization
Housing Loan	42200102000614	29.01.2014	Rs. 16,00,000/-	Rs. 18,11,359.40	9% + 2 % Penal interest

Rs.18,11,359.40 (Rupees Eighteen lakh Eleven thousand Three Hundred and Fifty Nine paise forty only) as on 18.12.2021 together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs
NPA Date: 18.12.2021 **Demand Notice Date: 28.12.2021**
Description of Property: Property is held in the name of Sri.Nagaraj V s/o Late Venkataswamy Site No.19/2 (Old No.19), PID No.57-136-19/2m, Property Measuring East to West: 25.4 Ft, North to South : 28 Ft, Sarakki Agrahara, J.P.Nagar 2nd phase, Bengaluru. Bounded on: East: Road, West : V.Vajrappa & V.Vijayendra's property, North : Others property, South: Others property

4. (1) Sri. K.Dandapani S/o Sri.Maikanna, (2) Smt.Shashikala w/o Sri.K.Dandapani: Both are R/at No.12, Property No.197,"Annamalaiyar Nilaya" khatha No.359 Muneshwara Layout,Ramdas Road,Kadugodi Post,Bangalore-560067. **(3) Sri. Kumar D s/o Dakshina Murthy (Guarantor)** TECH-3/ELEC, Electrical Dept, South Western Railway, Bengaluru Division, Railway Quarters, Kadugodi Post,Bengaluru-560067

Nature of Loan	Loan A/c No.	Date of Loan	Loan Limit (Rs)	Liability	Un-applied interest / charges from 19.12.2021 till the date of realization
Mortagage Loan	42200204000813	11.10.2013	Rs. 15,00,000/-	Rs. 5,36,056.51	13% + 2 % Penal interest

Rs. 5,36,056.51 (Rupees Five lakh thirty six thousand and fifty six rupees paise fifty one only) 18.12.2021 together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs
NPA Date: 18.12.2021 **Demand Notice Date: 28.12.2021**
Description of Property: Property is held in the names of Sri.k.Dandapani & Smt.Shashikala Property is a vacant site no.12,Khatha No.359,Property No.197, Property Measuring East to West: 40 Ft, North to South : 30 Ft, Muneshwara Extension,Kadugodi,Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk. Bounded on: East: Site No.13, West : Site No.11, North : 20 Ft Road, South: Site No.19

5. (1) Smt. Thulasi Bai w/o Rajendra Singh (2) Sri.R.Pradeep Singh s/o Rajendra Singh (3) Sri.R.Mohan Singh S/o Rajendra Singh- R/at No.128, Chinnu Singh Compound, OPH Road, Kadugodi, No.704, post office road,kadugodi,Bengaluru-560067 **(4) Sri.Shivaram M s/o Raju M.V(Guarantor)** R/at No.192,Kadugodi,Near Royal School,Bengaluru-560067

Nature of Loan	Loan A/c No.	Date of Loan	Loan Limit (Rs)	Liability	Un-applied interest / charges from 01.12.2021 till the date of realization
Housing Loan	42200102004014	21.11.2014	Rs. 20,00,000/-	Rs. 25,16,400.19	9% + 2 % Penal interest

Rs. 25,16,400.19 (Rupees Twenty Five lakh Sixteen thousand and Four Hundred paise nineteen only) as on 30.11.2021 together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs
NPA Date: 18.12.2021 **Demand Notice Date: 28.12.2021**
Description of Property: Property is held in the name of Smt. Thulasi Bai w/o Rajendra Singh Site No.12 formed on the residentially converted land of Sy.No.291/6, Property Measuring East to West: 40 Ft, North to South : 30 Ft, Kadugodi, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk. Bounded on: East: Site No.11, West: Converted Sy.No.291/6 belonging to K.M.Chinnu singh, North: Road, South: Site No.8

6. (1) Sri.Ayub Pashsa S/o Late H.Masthan, R/at No.1196,Near Royal school,Ramaiah Garden,Kadugodi,Bidarahalli Hobli,Bengaluru-560067 **(2) Guarantor: Sri.Firdos Ahmed S/o Nisar Ahmed** 313, Varadachar Road,Near railway Station, Kadugodi, Banglore -560067

Nature of Loan	Loan A/c No.	Date of Loan	Loan Limit (Rs)	Liability	Un-applied interest / charges from 01.01.2022 till the date of realization
Housing Loan	42200102000316	29.04.2016	Rs. 10,00,000/-	Rs. 12,05,466.50	9.00% + 2 % Penal interest

Rs. 12,05,466.50 (Twelve lakh five thousand four hundred sixty six and paise fifty only) as on 31-12-2021 together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs
NPA Date: 29.12.2021 **Demand Notice Date: 10.01.2022**
Description of Property: Property is held in the name of Sri.Ayub Pasha S/o Late Mastan.H, Property No.301/2,Khatha No.699 (Old No.395), East to West 24 feet,North to South 30 feet in all measuring 720 sft, Kadugodi,Bidarahalli Hobli,Bengaluru East Taluk. Bounded on: East by:10 ft Road, West by:Property belongs to Allabakash, North by:Property belongs to Krishnappa, South by:Property belongs to Ghouse

7. (1) Sri.Nagaraj N @ Nagaraja Reddy s/o Late M.Nanjundappa, (2) Sri.Karthik S/o Nagaraj N @ Nagaraja Reddy (3) Shirisha D/o Nagaraj N @ Nagaraja Reddy: R/at No.115,Near Veera Reddy Building, Puttappa Layout,Mahadevapura, Bengaluru – 560048 **(4) Guarantor:Sri.Santhosh J S/o K.V.Janardhan** No.38, Near Royal School, Ramaiah Garden,Kadugodi Village and Post,Bangalore-560067

Nature of Loan	Loan A/c No.	Date of Loan	Loan Limit (Rs)	Liability	Un-applied interest / charges from 01.01.2022 till the date of realization
Housing Loan	42200102001916	22.12.2016	Rs. 10,00,000/-	Rs. 10,96,432.50	9.00% + 2 % Penal interest

Rs. 10,96,432.50 (Ten lakh ninety six thousand four hundred thirty two and paise fifty only) as on 31-12-2021 together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs
NPA Date: 29.12.2021 **Demand Notice Date: 10.01.2022**
Description of Property: Property is held in the name of Sri.Nagaraja @Nagaraja Reddy S/o Late M.Nanjundappa and Sri.N.Karthik S/o Sri.Nagaraja @ Nagaraja Reddy Property is a portion of Site Nos 2 and 8 Formed in property no.206,Khatha No.206,old no.124, East to West 20ft, North to South 40 ft, Mahadevapura Village BBMP Ward No.81, K.R.Puram Hobli,Bangalore Hobli, Bound on: East by:N.Ramesh's Property, West by: Road, North by:Road, South by:N.Jayarama Reddy's Property

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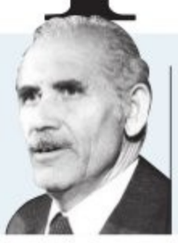
DAY'S DIARY

Soviet Union leaves

On this day in 1989, the Soviet military ended its occupation in Afghanistan after intervening in support of the government in the Afghan War (1978)

THE POWER VACUUM

The Soviet Union invaded Afghanistan following the overthrow and assassination of Nur Muhammad Taraki, installed by Moscow as leader of its puppet regime in Kabul



RAGING FIRES

It was the beginning of an ultimately pointless bloody conflict with the guerrilla forces of the Mujahideen that would rage for nine years

NO WINNERS, NO LOSERS

It became a stalemate with Soviet troops controlling the cities, and towns, and the Mujahideen moving freely throughout the countryside

Addhuri Lover first-look poster out

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Pages from the past

City-based entrepreneur Pavithra Muddaya recalls late industrialist Rahul Bajaj's visit to her saree boutique, Vimor

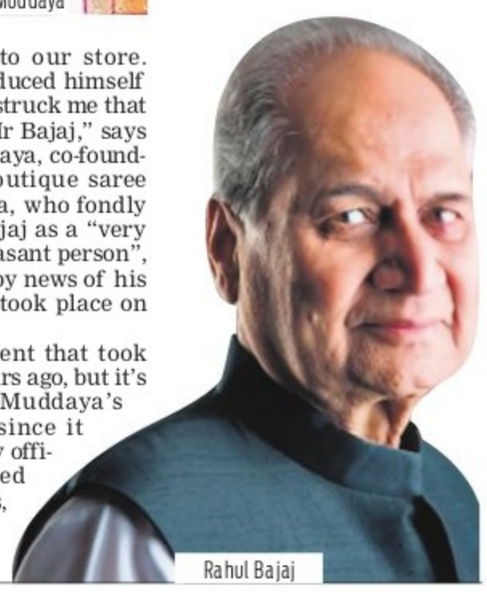
MONIKA MONALISA

MANY years ago when Rahul Bajaj visited Bengaluru, just like many other famous people, the chairperson of Bajaj Group, made a pit stop at Vimor to purchase sarees. "I was overwhelmed when he came to our store. Somebody very close to him brought him to our store. When he introduced himself as Mr Bajaj, it struck me that he was 'The' Mr Bajaj," says Pavithra Muddaya, co-founder Vimor, a boutique saree store. Muddaya, who fondly remembers Bajaj as a "very simple and pleasant person", was saddened by news of his demise which took place on Feb 12 in Pune.

Pavithra Muddaya

It's an incident that took place many years ago, but it's still fresh in Muddaya's memory. But since it was before they officially started keeping records, Muddaya can't clearly recollect the exact nature of the purchase. "I know he bought some silk sarees," says Muddaya, adding that she still recalls his 'pleasant personality'.

Now leafing through her 'address book', there's a sense of satisfaction at the number of dignitaries who have visited the store. "Back then, we didn't have a guest book. Our focus was not on who came to our store, that's why I don't have a picture with anybody," says Muddaya. Living in the time of social media where self-promotion is at its peak, Muddaya has no regrets about missing out on it. "All our customers were/are the same to us. I think a lot of these celebrities like it that we don't ask them for photographs. They appreciate that anonymity," says Muddaya, adding, "The brand has grown organically with people appreciating our work."



Rahul Bajaj

'I HAD TO RELY ON MY IMAGINATION'

Portraying APJ Abdul Kalam in *Rocket Boys* turned out to be a dream role for actor Arjun Radhakrishnan, who is also looking forward to some big releases this year

MONIKA MONALISA

AS a 16-year-old student, Arjun Radhakrishnan recalls late president APJ Abdul Kalam visiting Fergusson College, Pune, for a talk. Radhakrishnan could never have imagined that he would portray the very same personality's character in a show one day. Radhakrishnan is a key character in *Rocket Boys*, a period drama on Sony Liv, that delves into the lives of Indian scientists Homi J Bhabha and Vikram Sarabhai. While he's only introduced in the seventh episode, Radhakrishnan has managed to leave a mark. The show also stars Jim Sarbh, Ishwak Singh and Regina Cassandra.

The actor, who regularly visits the city to meet his extended family here as well as for shoots, is still grappling with the spotlight. Since the release of *Rocket Boys*, Radhakrishnan's DMs have been filled with congratulatory messages, and like he says, it's "surreal." Though most of the scenes, set in the Indian Institute of Science, were shot in Pune, Radhakrishnan says both the cities have a similar vibe to them. He was in Bengaluru recently for the shoot of a Malayalam movie, also starring *Minnal Murli* fame, Tovino Thomas.

The response to his character has surprised Radhakrishnan himself. "It's nice that the character has got so much attention... that's also because the show is made so well," says the 35-year-old, who had to go through four rounds of audition to bag the part. "I auditioned for it when the pandemic had just started, sometime in May 2020. Suddenly the world had come to a stand still when I got a call about this role. I could not believe it myself," says Radhakrishnan, recalling that he had to sneak into his friend's apartment during the lockdown to make his audition tape.

Playing a part that is set in 1956, without much visual reference, the Pune-based actor had to rely on his imagination to draw inspiration from. "The period that we are talking about in the show, which is 1956 onwards, had no visual reference to it. I found a few photographs of Mr Kalam when he was with Mr Sarabhai. So I had to rely a lot on my imagination," he says, adding that the articles sent by the research team of the show helped him a lot. Coming with a theatre background, he believes, too helped a great extent.

Radhakrishnan, who is currently shooting for season 2 of the series, has some big projects coming up, including *Jhund*, starring Amitabh Bachchan. The film is based on the life of NGO Slum Soccer founder Vijay Barse, who coaches a football team of slum dwellers. Apart from this, he will also be seen in a Malayam movie which will release in March.

All about 'Rocket Boys'

Physicist and astronomer Vikram Sarabhai met Nuclear Physicist Homi Bhabha for the first time at the Indian Institute of Science. After his studies were interrupted in Cambridge, Sarabhai was given permission to continue working on his PhD, under the guidance of Nobel Prize-winning physicist, CV Raman. Kalam was also a part of the INCOSPAR committee and was working under Vikram Sarabhai. While working in ISRO as project director of SLV-III, Kalam successfully deployed the Rohini satellite near Earth orbit.

A still from the series

Arjun Radhakrishnan

The period that we are talking about in the show – 1956 onwards – had no visual reference to it. I found a few photographs of Mr Kalam with Mr Sarabhai. My theatre background helped to a great extent— Arjun Radhakrishnan, actor

STARTUP WATCH

Backstory

Elever is a Bengaluru-based wealth-tech startup founded by Anshul Sharan, Ram Subramanian and Santosh R in September 2020. The startup aims to make people achieve their financial goals and improve lifestyle through direct investment markets.

Finance Funda

The startup has received pre-seed funding of $750,000 from a group of 19 angel investors.

Target Audience

They target investors with an income bracket between ₹10 lakh and ₹75 lakh in tier-1, tier-2 cities. Currently the app works on an invite-only policy. They have 300 + customers.

USP

The startup offers a highly personalised goal recommendation for each user that marries their aspirations with their financial profile. It also helps customers achieve financial goals by leveraging the power of passive investing with direct investments in Exchange-Traded Funds (ETF) and stocks. They offer goal-based investing into a portfolio of stocks and ETFs, personal finance literacy and are planning to roll out personal finance strategies, market research and much more for investors,

(From left): Santosh Aiyar, Anshul Sharan and Ram Subramaniam

CITY READ

Govt body invites application for competition

Marketing Communication and Advertising Limited (MCA), a Karnataka government enterprise, is inviting creative people to submit logo designs for the body. It is offering ₹50,000 for the selected logo and ₹10,000 for a catchy headline that can be submitted in Kannada and English language. For further details visit, MCA website.

Kids' play area to organise carnival

Kydzadda, indoor gaming and play area for kids is organising 'Kydz Karnival' to promote physical play. The proceeds from the event will be donated to Mitra For Life, to support kids with autism. The event is scheduled on February 19, at Kydzadda, Bannerghatta Road. For details visit their website.

THE WILD SIDE

If he's not attending to emergencies in the ICU, Dr Ravi Kumar is tracking tigers

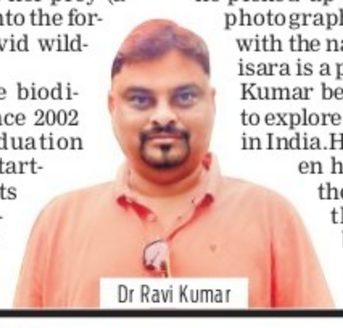
SANATH PRASAD

IT was in March 2017 when Dr Ravi Kumar, consultant intensivist head - ICU and critical care services in a private hospital in Bengaluru, visited Tadoba Andhari Tiger Reserve in Maharashtra. One night, when he was at his homestay in one of the villages in Chandrapur district, Kumar heard the roar of a tiger, enough to send shock waves among those around. However, three months later, Kumar decided to explore the backyard of the homestay from where the roar resounded. With just a camera in his hand, Kumar strayed into the backyard which actually led to the forest. After walking for a while and returning, he was surprised to see two cubs staring at him at a distance of 10 feet.

"During my earlier visit to the homestay I had heard the roar of the tiger, that indicated that she was pregnant. Three months later, I encountered her cubs near the homestay, while the mother had just killed her prey (a donkey) and pulled it into the forest," says Kumar, an avid wildlife photographer.

Fascinated with the biodiversity of wildlife since 2002 during his post graduation days, Kumar initially started exploring the forests of Bandipur, Mudumalai, Nagarahole, and Kabini. This is where he picked up the passion for wildlife photography and also fell in love with the national animal. If Ma Saisara is a photographers' paradise, Kumar believes there is immense to explore within the tiger reserves in India. His love for tigers has taken him to major reserves in the country, including Ranthambore, Bhadra, Tadoba among others. "I first ventured into exploring the environment around forests, picked up photography and later became obsessed with the very nature of tigers. One of my unforgettable moments is when I captured the famous tiger Machali at Ranthambore National Park during the final stages of her life," says Kumar, who loves to photograph the tigers against the bright landscapes during the end of monsoon and winter.

Tigress Machali



Dr Ravi Kumar

Besides picking up photography, Kumar also believes that capturing the big cat has taught him lessons in life. "As a doctor who treats patients in the ICU, I worked with an urgency, hoping that patients would feel better quickly. However, what I learnt from the tigers is perseverance. Observing the lives of tigers has taught me to be patient in life," says the 43-year-old, who is planning a trip to Ranthambore in May.

Kumar is also a diligent student of wildlife who undertakes his own study of the tigers. Coupled with photography, he observes the identification marks of a tiger and tracks their journey through different forests. He studies whether the tiger is venturing into a new territory or is confined to the same. "I like to know and understand the behaviour of a tiger. Usually our textbooks teach us that male tigers eat their cubs. But the ground reality is different. They also nurture the cubs. Tracking the behaviour patterns of the tigers gives me a kick," says Kumar, who finds photography a stress buster after a busy day in the ICU.

CONTEMPORARY TUTORIALS

Terence Lewis Professional Training Institute brings its expertise to you now in the comfort of your home. Get yourself a choreographer who will teach you to groove to the music. **When:** Ongoing **Details:** insider.in

WORK FROM MUSEUM

Tired of working from home? Work out of a museum at Indian Music Experience and make a change to your work environment. **When:** Feb 15-27 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

POT THERAPY

Trying your hand at pottery will not only help you build a skill during these difficult times but could be therapeutic. It could be a fun activitiy to be part of. **When:** Feb 22-27 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

KID'S PLAYGROUND

Led virtually from Sweden by Memory Wax team with a dance teacher from Attakkalari Center for Movement Arts, this 120-minute session will be packed with fun and lots of creative learning. **When:** Feb 18 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

PARTICIPATE IN 'UNPOPULAR OPINIONS' WITH YOUR FAVOURITE **COMEDIANS** AT GLENS BAKEHOUSE, KORAMANGALA. **WHEN:** FEB 19 **DETAILS:** BOOKMYSHOW.COM

Get fit

Looking for fun ways to stay motivated? This two-hour event will start with grilling workouts, including body weight training, HIIT and animal flow. **When:** Feb 26 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

Expert Singing

In this series of 8 episodes, participants will learn to sing verses of eight well known poets of the Nirgun and Sagun tradition. Anyone with an intermediate-level understanding of Hindustani classical music will find these sessions useful. **When:** Ongoing **Details:** insider.in

Underwater show

A live underwater singing concert shall be attempted by multiple Guiness World Records holder Virag Madhumalati. Catch the exciting show live. **When:** Feb 20 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

Salad Revolution

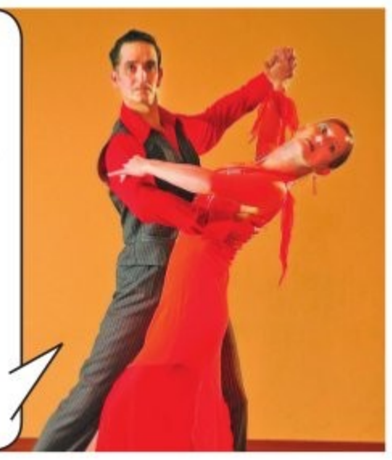
Catch up with Sonakshi Sinha and Genelia Deshmukh as they join Salad Revolution, an attempt from Team SHARAN in building a 'Culture of Health'. **When:** Feb 26 **Details:** insider.in

Get vibin'

Been grooving to *Doobey* these days? Learn how to dance to the song through this workshop at Artkhoj, JP Nagar. **When:** Feb 20 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

Dance it out

Want to learn Salsa and Bachata? Here is your chance to get things started with the help of a salseras, Minoti Ramachandra and Khushboo from the Motley Dance Company. **When:** Till Feb 27 **Details:** bookmyshow.com



QUICK FIX

What's cooking

IN YOUR KITCHEN?
We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at cityexpresschn@gmail.com.

SHABNAM CURRY

INGREDIENTS

- **Button mushrooms:** 1 packet
- **Green peas:** 1/2 cup ■ **Tomatoes:** 3-4
- **Onions:** 2-3 ■ **Garlic:** 3-4 cloves
- **Ginger:** 1/2 inch piece ■ **Cashew nuts:** 10
- **Neutral vegetable oil:** 2 tbsp
- **Cumin:** 1 tsp, **cinnamon:** 1 piece, **cloves:** 2, **bay leaf:** 1, **cardamom:** 2, smashed
- **Red chilli powder, Coriander powder:** 1 tsp
- **Turmeric powder:** 1/2 tsp
- **Salt** to taste ■ **Kasuri methi:** 1/2 tbsp

METHOD

■ Soak cashew nuts in water. Sauté mushrooms till soft. Boil green peas with salt and a pinch of sugar. Grind ginger, garlic and onion. Grind tomatoes. Grind soaked cashews. Dry roast kasuri methi and crush.

■ To hot oil, add cumin, whole spices. Add onion paste and fry till oil separates. Add tomatoes and salt. Add the masalas and the cashew paste. Add kasuri methi, mushrooms and green peas.

■ Cook for 10 minutes, uncovered. Serve hot with chapatis.

—Sarika Gupta, Thiruvananthapuram (Instagram: worldfood_onmy_table)

FIT BIT

EKA PADA TADASANA MALASANA

(ONE LEGGED STANDING GARLAND POSE)

In Sanskrit, 'eka' means one, 'pada' means foot, 'tada' means mountain, 'mala' means garland and 'asana' means pose. It is an intermediate level pose that is performed in standing position and involves twist and balance. It has variations with base pose as Dancer Pose (Natarajasana). Spiritually, it stimulates Anahata (Heart) chakra – the sixth chakra. This chakra is not only governing our emotions and feelings, but also creativity, intuition, compassion, responsibility, and self-awareness.

STEPS

- Stand with the right side of the body facing the wall, inhale and lift the right leg up, bending it at the knee.
- Keep holding the wall with your right hand, exhale and hold the right knee with your left hand.
- Inhale and take the right thigh towards the left side stretching the sides of the thighs as the hips move in an internal rotation.
- Then, press the thighs closer to you as you twist the hips inwards, and hold the posture for about 4 breaths or less.
- Stay in balance as you use the support of the wall in Standing Twist Opposite Hand to Knee Pose.
- Then release and relax.
- Turn the other way and hold the posture, lifting the left leg and twisting it towards the right.
- Stay for 4 breaths.
- Then release and relax.

BENEFITS

- Encourages balance, twist, stretch, and focus.
- The stretching of the hips eases a stiff lower back.
- Increases the range of motion of the spinal muscles.
- Pressure in the naval region brings in fresh oxygenated blood.
- Increases the digestive fire, and helps burning toxins.
- Strengthens and stretches the lumbar region.
- Helps correct postural changes that occur with age.
- Effective for those recovering from a long period of bed rest.

LIMITATIONS

- People suffering from vertigo; recovering from an injury or surgery of the joints of the hips, knees, spine or shoulders; those with high BP or often suffering from dizziness should avoid it.
- Those with heart ailments, fibromyalgia, arthritis, low bone density, who have had a miscarriage, should avoid this.

— by N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

SOUND BOARD

ON THE CONTRARY

Hosted by Arun Maira, a former member of the Planning Commission, the show highlights various issues that concern India's future. Experts are invited to talk about different perspectives on caste, environment, markets, agriculture, and more. The goal is to get people to find a new, shared understanding.

- On: Audible

KAHANI SUNO

Narrated by Sameer Goswami, this podcast revisits classic stories written by Jaishankar Prasad and Munshi Premchand. Goswami's storytelling is crisp and some episodes are as short as three minutes.

- On: Gaana

I HEAR YOU

The thriller podcast narrated by Aahana Kumra takes you into the world of Delhi Special Bureau's ace detective, Priyamvada Parmar, whose life changes after a brutal car crash.

- On: Spotify

WATCHA

Film critic and writer Aniruddha Guha's Watcha is a podcast for hardcore movie and TV buffs. It is an engaging and educational listen for people who are passionate about movies and television shows.

- On: Gaana

THE JOE ROGAN EXPERIENCE

Hosted by former UFC announcer and American stand-up comedian Joe Rogan, this podcast is known for its quirky, crazy topic discussions, pure laugh-out-loud moments and its slew of intriguing and interesting choice of guests.

- On: Spotify

POPULAR ON YOUTUBE

ARRAMBAM

A man, along with a computer hacker, sets off on a mission to uncover a government scandal. As the dark secrets begin to tumble out, the duo faces dangerous consequences from the people in power.

- Cast: Ajith Kumar, Arya, Taapsee Pannu, Rana Daggubati

MR AIRAVATA

Airavata, a farmer who was wronged by a few corrupt police officers, decides to take matters into his own hands and joins the police force through wrong means.

- Cast: Darshan Thoogudeepa, Prakash Raj, Urvashi Rautela, Bullet Prakash

AMRUTHA VARSHINI

Abhishek falls in love with Veena, who is married to Hemanth. Things begin to swirl out of control when an obsessed Abhishek decides to kill Hemanth to get him out of the way.

- Cast: Ramesh Aravind, Suhasini Maniratnam, Sarath Babu, Tara

SEETHARAMA KALYANA

Arya, a righteous man, falls in love with a small-town woman named Geetha, unaware of the obstacles that lie ahead for both of them.

- Cast: Nikhil Gowda, Girija Lokesh, Adithya, Chikkanna

CHAKRAVYUHA

Authorities turn a blind eye to the violence that takes place in a college at the behest of a corrupt minister. However, a student, Lohith, decides to take the law into his own hands.

- Cast: Puneeth Rajkumar, Arun Vijay, Rachita Ram, Sadhu Kokila

WHAT'S ON TED TALKS

1 THE ORIGINS OF BLACKFACE AND BLACK STEREOTYPES BY DWAN REECE

Dwan Reece, curator at the National Museum of African American History and Culture, explains how the practice of blackface – mimicking people of African descent via stereotypes – permeates the American psyche and culture (in theatre, music, books and beyond) and why it's not simply harmless fun, but a legacy of oppression.

2 WHAT REGRET CAN TEACH YOU ABOUT LIVING A GOOD LIFE BY DANIEL H. PINK

Over the past two years, author Daniel H. Pink has collected a trove of more than 16,000 regrets from people in 105 countries in an effort to better understand this mysterious emotion. He shares the key patterns that emerged and explains how to transform your own regrets in order to create the life you've always wanted to live.

3 HOW FILM CREATED HOPE AFTER THE BEIRUT PORT EXPLOSION BY MOUNIA AKL

When Lebanon was rocked by a massive explosion at the port of Beirut, filmmaker Mounia Akl came face-to-face with chaos – and the power of art to create some sense of order. In this poetic, moving talk, Akl shares the story of how she and her crew finished their film as the city recovered.

4 THE OCEAN'S INGENIOUS CLIMATE SOLUTIONS BY SUSAN RUFFO

From storing carbon to providing protection to coastal communities, ocean expert Susan Ruffo highlights the ocean's ready-made solutions to the climate crisis and asks: With more than eighty per cent of the ocean still unexplored, what new solutions are waiting to be discovered?

5 CAN YOU OUTSMART THE FALLACY THAT DIVIDED A NATION? BY ELIZABETH COX

It's 1819. The US is preparing to make Missouri and Maine new states. One representative insists that slavery shouldn't be allowed in any new state. Another believes it should be a state's right to choose. A compromise is proposed: slavery will be allowed in Missouri and prohibited in Maine. Can you spot the problem with this compromise?

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

MAHAAN (Tamil)

Gandhi Mahaan, a school teacher, is abandoned by his family after he decides to live a life of his own, with freedom.

Cast: Vikram, Dhruv Vikram, Simran

- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

MERSAL (Tamil)

Maaran, a doctor, is falsely arrested for the murder of his colleague, Dr Arjun Zachariah. He soon discovers that the real culprit is a lookalike who aims to expose corruption in the medical industry.

Cast: Vijay, SJ Suresh, Sathyaraj

- Watch on: Disney+ Hotstar

RAVANA LANKA (Telugu)

Four friends go to Goa to chill but one of them dies suspiciously. A few days later, one of their friend's girlfriend gets kidnapped.

Cast: Murali Sharma, Racha Ravi, Dev Gill, Krish Bandipally

- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

HUMAN (Hindi, series)

Human portrays the underbelly of human drug testing and a world of medical scams.

Cast: Shefali Shah, Kirti Kulhari, Vishal Jethwa

- Watch on: Disney+ Hotstar

GEHRAIYAAN (Hindi)

A woman finds herself at a crossroads in life. Her six-year relationship has grown monotonous and her career seems to have hit a roadblock. However, the arrival of her cousin forces her to confront a troubled past.

Cast: Deepika Padukone, Siddhant Chaturvedi, Ananya Pandey, Dhairya Karwa

- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

RAAT AKELI HAI (Hindi)

When a newly married landlord is murdered, a misfit cop's investigation is complicated by the victim's secretive family.

Cast: Nawazuddin Siddiqui, Radhika Apte, Shweta Tripathi, Aditya Srivastava

- Watch on: Netflix

DOCTOR (Tamil)

When a military doctor tracks down his former fiancee's kidnapped niece, he discovers a complex human trafficking ring in Goa. He then weaves an intricate trap to capture the perpetrators.

Cast: Sivakarthikeyan, Priyanka Arul Mohan

- Watch on: Netflix

FOREIGN

THE POWER OF THE DOG (English)

A domineering rancher responds with cruelty when his brother brings home a new wife and her son, until the unexpected comes to pass.

Cast: Benedict Cumberbatch, Kirsten Dunst, Jesse Plemons, Kodi Smit-McPhee

- Watch on: Netflix

THE FALLOUT (English)

Bolstered by new friendships forged under sudden and tragic circumstances, high school student Vada begins to reinvent herself while reevaluating her relationships and her view of the world.

Cast: Annabelle Wallis, Mckenna Grace, George Young

- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

MALIGNANT (English)

Madison, a young woman, is terrified by visions of the murders of strangers. Later, Madison decides to find and save the victims.

Cast: Annabelle Wallis, Mckenna Grace, George Young

- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

TALL GIRL 2 (English)

Jodi Kreyman deals with her new found popularity. Her miscommunications, however, start causing rifts with those around her and now she really needs to "stand tall."

Cast: Ava Michelle, Griffin Gluck, Sabrina Carpenter

- Watch on: Netflix

SUBSCRIPTION

Disney+ Hotstar: ₹ 499 per year
Apple TV: ₹ 99 per month
Prime Video: ₹ 129 per month
Netflix: ₹ 149 per month

Artwork of 'Coronation of Rama' and 'Yashoda breastfeeding the infant Krishna'

Art in A(U)ction

A Mumbai-based auction house is making their debut in Bengaluru by displaying a rare collection of Indian classical artworks

SANATH PRASAD

HAVING dabbled in numismatics and auctions for nearly 50 years, venturing into the classical Indian art space is a landmark moment. Popular Mumbai-based auctioneer, Todywalla Auctions which has been in the space for over five decades now, is expanding into the art space with their debut auction in Bengaluru. Run by next-generation leader Malcolm Todywalla, the aim is to make antiques more accessible to people. "Today, contemporary art is the most sought-after art form and the interest in antiques has just increased. Moreover, it is important to uphold and conserve the classical art forms to make it accessible to people," believes Todywalla.

The auction comprises Indian miniature paintings, bronze and stone sculptures, wood works and much more. Todywalla also explains that the auctioneer family is now venturing into Indian antiques after predominantly auctioning rare coin collections for decades in Bengaluru. The auction that is scheduled this week, will have a display of a well-rounded body of works, including south Indian antiques in the form of glass paintings, ritualistic objects like Kavadi Katta, a decorative lion used during temple processions and a fertility beam featuring Lord Ganesha. "We have sourced these art collections from across the country, from western India to south India. We have tried to keep a pan-India collection that represents art forms of all regions," says Todywalla.

Since the rise of NFT (Non-Fungible Tokens) art works are on the rise, many enthusiasts now want to explore the blockchain model to own and invest in an NFT piece. However, Todywalla believes that this new fad does not come close to the touch-and-feel experience of physical works. "I always believe that art can be appreciated when you can touch and feel them. The artwork has to be tangible in nature. NFTs are intangible which is why many enthusiasts would still prefer physical art possessions," says Todywalla.

The auction will take place between February 16-18, at Bangalore International Centre(BIC), Domlur. For more details, visit the BIC website

The auction preview will also host S Murugan, an art collector and scholar on south Indian art. Murugan who is also ADGP- communication, logistics and modernisation, will deliver a talk on the 'Art of Mysuru'. "When I was in Mysuru, I used to meet many contemporary artists who practised traditional crafts. Mysuru is a treasure trove of paintings and other art objects. Mummadi Krishnaraja Wodeyar was a polymath who was interested in literature, music, games and these paintings cover all the interests," says Murugan.

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Malcolm Todywalla, auctioner

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It's all about getting on with the game

YEARS ago, my friends and I were faced with a situation that had us stumped while playing cricket that we played in the restricted space which served as a playground in our building. Because of the limitations, we had to tweak the rules, so the LBW (Leg Before Wicket) rule was out to allow the batsman a better chance at surviving and scoring runs.

One of my friends always wore a lungi while playing cricket — and that's what stumped us! At first we joked and laughed at it. He rolled it up to above his knees while fielding/bowling, and rolled it down to its full length till his ankles while batting — disregarding the obstruction it caused while running between the wickets.

We soon learnt why he did that: No bowler could get him out bowled! With no LBW rule, all he had to do was face a trickier bowler squarely and spread his legs to let his lungi — which then extended like a taut curtain — stop the ball from hitting the wickets.

This frustrated the opposite team members — including me. Initially we objected; but there was no set rule on what to wear while playing cricket in our building. So we had to improvise our bowling and strategies in such a way that we could take his wicket by getting him caught, or get him run out — the latter more frequently achieved as the lungi restricted his running!

Basically, we learnt to live with what he called his "right" to wear what he wanted while playing cricket, and we got on with the game after the initial objections.

This reminiscence has no links with the ongoing Hijab issue, except for the part of "getting on with the game". Had we continued objecting to and making a hue and cry over my friend's dressing habit while playing cricket, it would not have closed down educational institutions or affected children's education in any way, but it certainly would have spoiled our game of cricket... and a much-valued friendship.

My friend wearing a lungi rolled down to his ankles did not amount to cheating because there was no rule prohibiting the wearing of the attire while playing cricket. It served his purpose in the given framework of the rules that we ourselves had tweaked.

The experience with my lungi-wearing friend did not threaten anything with adverse consequences as does the ongoing issue which threatens not only the education of children but also our pluralistic society — only because more number of people with their respective agendas are taking sides on an issue which actually has no bearing on the education that it is ending up impacting.

Social and cultural psychologist Jonathan Haidt, in his book *The Righteous Mind: Why Good People Are Divided By Politics And Religion*, cites from the New Testament: "Why do you see the speck in your neighbour's eye, but do not notice the log in your own eye?... first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take the speck out of your neighbour's eye." (Matthew 7:3-5)

Haidt says taking "the logs out of our own eyes" helps escape from the "ceaseless, petty and divisive moralism". He then cites the eighth century Chinese Zen master Sen-ts'an:

"The Perfect Way is only difficult for those who pick and choose;
Do not like, do not dislike; all will then be clear.
Make a hairbreadth difference, and Heaven and Earth are set apart;
If you want the truth to stand clear before you, never be for or against.
The struggle between 'For' and 'Against' is the mind's worst disease."

How to start and grow a successful band

TUNING IN
Bindu & Ambi Subramaniam

(The authors run SaPa - the Subramaniam Academy of Performing Arts)

IF you are a musician, chances are that you have at least once considered starting or joining a band. It is the best way to create music consistently, find opportunities to grow and perform as a musician, and form a community of like-minded artistes. If you want to form a band, here are some tips that can help you grow and sustain a meaningful musical career:

1.Find like-minded band mates: Today, it's easier than ever to connect with musicians from any part of the world and find a way to work together. It is important that you find someone whose music resonates with you, and even more importantly, someone whose values you share. After all, you will be spending significant time working and performing together.

2. Find your genre: It can be tempting to explore many styles of music all at once, but you have great chances of growing a consistent audience if you know what niche you want to explore. Do you write and perform regional-language music only? Do you do guitar covers of Bollywood songs? Are you interested in contemporary world music? The best way to find your sound is to discuss with your bandmates, and find what feels most natural.

3. Make music regularly: Once your band is formed and you have a sense of your sound, it's time to create a structure. Playing in a band isn't about "hanging out" at someone's garage. It takes discipline and commitment. Make sure you set a goal for how often you want to release new tracks (either as singles, albums, or short tracks on streaming or social media platforms), and plan your time accordingly.

4. Use social media liberally: To grow a listener base, it's important to use social media to its full potential. You can host live sessions, play audience requests, create music videos, and tell your band's story as creatively as you'd like. Building an engaged following means that you should: (a) show up on social media every day and (b) reply to comments as much as possible.

5. Practice regularly: If it's safe for band members to meet regularly and practice, make sure that you have a designated and soundproofed spot where you can rehearse without interruptions. If you are meeting and practising via online sessions, make sure that you have a good internet connection and can work together undisturbed. Either way, it's important to dedicate enough time every week to practising together, learning to work with each other, and creating a long-term plan for the band.

Finally, remember this: If you try to reverse-engineer the process of building an audience by playing what you think listeners will want, you will not be able to create a meaningful musical journey — either for yourself or for your audience. Make music that you love, and the fans will follow.

Love and loss

VIKTOR Frankl, in the iconic book *Man's Search for Meaning*, talks about a person who came for help with intense grief over the loss of a long-term partner, bemoaning being left behind and how unfair it was that after all these years of being together, this had to happen. After listening to this person for a while, with all the wisdom of having survived loss of family in the Nazi holocaust, going on to new loves and new losses, Frankl asks this person just one thing — "Would you have preferred that you had been the one to die, and your beloved left to suffer your loss?"

The question stumps the person, who cannot bear that idea either, and in trying to balance which pain was less, goes back a little reconciled — bearing the pain of loss was better than causing the pain of such a loss to a beloved person. Frankl looks at it from the perspective of making meaning, and surmises that how we see where we are is really what matters.

LOVEOLOGY
Mahesh Natarajan

(The author is a counsellor with InnerSight)

In matters of love and loss, it holds truer than in other places possibly. Sure, we all might really love the idea of a perfect meet-cute, just the right amount of courtship, maybe a mock fight or two, long years living together and fading quietly together into the sunset. We also know that may not really happen. For so many of us, periods of being in love often are a lot lesser than the periods in our life where we are longing for love.

Love gets lost so easily. To love is to invite loss as well.

Few know it as well as people who have loved an animal, a dog or a cat. The joy of loving a dog, even in the most ideal circumstances, is always going to be short – hardly any dog lives for over fifteen years. So many die well before that time. A person who lost a beloved dog recently said that their dog showed them first how to love, and when the dog passed on quite suddenly after only two years, was also showing them loss of that love and how to live with that loss.

On the other end of the spectrum, a friend lost a grandparent who left behind a partner who had advanced dementia and didn't know who they were, let alone their partner or that they had lost their beloved of fifty years. "I don't know if it is a blessing or a curse," this friend said, "I don't know if this demented ignorance is bliss. I think I would want to wail and cry should this happen to me — not sit there beatifically asking why so many people were home and can I have some chocolate."

Much as we might want a forever love story, we also know that loss is real, whether to death or to life. We may fear it, but we would want to feel it should it happen. To love is to risk loss.

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I, **RAVEENDRAN IYER SUBRAMANIAM,** S/o, Kalakad Manickam Subramaniam, Residing at, No.3104, Azure Brigade Exotica, Old Madras Road, Budigere Cross, Virgonagar, Bangalore-560049, have changed my name to **RAVEENDRAN SUBRAMANIAM IYER,** vide affidavit dated:14-02-2022, sworn before Notary, R.Vishwanath, Bangalore.

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CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VIBHA** W/o. Sri Suresh, R/at. No. 10, 1st Cross, Kempaiah Layout, Pattandur Agrahara, Whitefiled Post, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore - 560 066, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **G. SHASHIKALA** to **VIBHA**, vide affidavit dated 10.02.2022, sworn to before Thippeswamy .T, Advocate & Notary, Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **Mohammed Akram**, S/o. Abdul Kareem, Aged about 57 years, Residing at No. 173, Kareem Building, Ganesha Saw Mill Road, T. Dasarahalli, Bengaluru - 560 57, hereby declare that my correct name is **Mohammed Akram** as per my Aadhar Card. In the passport my name wrongly mentioned as **Akram Mohamed** instead of **Mohammed Akram.** Vide affidavit dated 14.02.2022 sworn to before Anitha Bai, Advocate & Notary, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SAMINA KHAN,** aged about 51 years, W/o Mr. Fasiulla Khan, D/o M. Fazal Haq, R/a No. 93, 'The Park', 6th Main, ITI Layout, Bangalore-560046, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SYED TARANNUM M FAZAL HAQ** to **SAMINA KHAN,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SAMINA KHAN** only, vide affidavit dated 11-02-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **S. SAMUEL SOLOMON** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **KARUNAKARAN PILLAI** (New Name), S/o NARAYANA PILLAI, Aged about 70 years Resident at NO.203, TULSIDALAM, KRISHNAPPA LAYOUT, THINDLU, VIDYARANYAPURA POST, BENGALURU NORTH, BENGALURU-560097, that I have changed my name from **KARUNAKARAN PILLAI VELAYUDHAN** (Old Name) to **KARUNAKARAN PILLAI** (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **KARUNAKARAN PILLAI** (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 14/02/2022 before Notary **N.KANCHIVARADARAJU** at BENGALURU

CHANGE OF NAME
We, **MADAN RAO,** aged about 61 years, S/o Late Prof. U.R. Rao, and THIRUMALAI JAYASHREE, aged about 51 years, D/o Late Mr. K. Thirumalai, Residing At 001, MILTON HOUSE, 5/7, MILTON STREET, COOKE TOWN, BANGALORE-560005 declare that we have changed the name of our Minor Son from **MIHIRAN MAGA** (Old Name) to **MIHIRAN RAO** (New Name), henceforth my Son shall be known and called as **MIHIRAN RAO** (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 02/02/2022 before Notary **L. GOPALAKRISHNA** at BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, ARMY NO.15138607X Rank Sep Aravind Singh Sikarvar, Presently Serving In 927A, DSC PL, ADMC, Near Ayyappa Temple, Banaswadi, Bangalore-560033. that I have changed my Daughter Name From **KUSHY SINGH** to **KHUSHI SIKARWAR,** Vide Affidavit Dated, 12/02/2022, Sworn Before C.Santhosh, Notary Public, at Bangalore.

ANNOUNCEMENT
I, KENNETH GEORGE, S/o. George Anthony, State that in My Baptism Certificate My Name is Wrongly Mentioned as **KENNETH JOSEPH** Instead of **KENNETH GEORGE,** Both The Names **KENNETH JOSEPH** and **KENNETH GEORGE** Belongs to one and Same Person, In Future I Would Like to be called and known as **KENNETH GEORGE,** Vide Affidavit Dated 10.02.2022 Sworn Before Notary Uday Kumar.K, Bangalore.

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I, MOHINDAR PAL SINGH, R/at No.5193, Embassy Lake Terraces, Services Road, Subramani Nagar, Guddadahalli, Hebbal, Bangalore North, B'luru-560032, have changed my name to **MOHINDAR PAL SINGH MARWAHA,** vide affidavit dated:14.02.2022 before Notary H.G.VENKATARAMU, B'luru.

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I, **Manu H. @ Mahadev Hattimani.,** S/o. Vasanth, Aged about 34 years, Shirgura No. 503/120, Rayabhag Tq., Belgaum Dist. In Aadhaar, Voter Id, SSLC Markscard my name is mentioned as **Mahadev Hattimani** & Pan Card, Driving Licence name is mentioned as **Manu H.,** both Name is mine. I do hereby declare that my Name is **Mahadev Hattimani** for all purposes vide affidavit dated 05.01.2019 sworn before Notary and Advocate K.C. Shashikala.

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I, SERVICE NO JC-313224X NB/SUB M.RAJAMURUGAN OF UNIT: CIW, DEPOT BN, MEG & CENTRE, BANGALORE 560042, Have changed My son Name from **JAGANNATH** to **JEGANNATH .R** Vide Affidavit Dated 09.02.2022 Sworn Before Notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

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I, SERVICE NO 16113777M SPR SATISH BADI of unit: 222 FD coy, 22 ENGR REGT, C/O 56 APO, PIN: 914022, Have changed My Father Name from **SIVUNNAIDU** to **BADI SHIVUNAIDU** AND MY Mother Name from **SATYAVATH** to **BADI SATYAVATHI** Vide Affidavit Dated 11.01.2022 Sworn Before Notary L. Gopala Krishna Bangalore.

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I, **AKSHARKUMAR D HEGDE** Father of ANEESH residing of No.C-102, Chartered Madhura, Simhadri Layout, Uttarahalli Main Road, Uttarahalli, Bengaluru-560061, Karnataka, India. Do hereby declare that my son name changed from **ANEESH** to **ANEESH AKSHARKUMAR HEGDE,** vide affidavit dated 11-02-2022 sworn before notary B.K.R.KRISHNAMURTHY, BANGALORE.

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I, **RAVI L,** Residing at No. 1/1 9th Cross, 16th A Main Road J C Nagar, Kurubarahalli Mahalakshmi Puram Bangalore-560086 have changed my name to **RAVIE J L,** vide affidavit dated 14/02/2022, sworn before notary M.K. Devaki, Bangalore.

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I, **PUSHKAR.C**, residing at No.95 2nd Floor, Patel Pillegowda Layout, Ramachandrapura, Pillegowda Bus Stop, Bangalore - 560013, have changed name from **PRANAV C** to **PUSHKAR.C,** vide affidavit dated 14/02/2022 sworn before Notary R. Ramesh, Bangalore - 560097

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A still from the film

AP ARJUN UNVEILS FIRST-LOOK POSTER OF *ADDHURI LOVER*

The poster features a stylish Virat and Priyanka Kumar on a dirt bike. The former will be playing a bike racer, the latter, a college student

A SHARADHAA

A new stylish poster of AP Arjun's upcoming directorial, *Addhuri Lover* has been unveiled on Valentine's Day. The poster features Virat and Priyanka Kumar having a moment on a dirt bike. Virat is playing a bike racer in the film, while Priyanka will be seen as a college student.

Addhuri Lover will bring together Virat and AP Arjun for the second time, after *Kiss*. On the other hand, Priyanka is teaming up with the director for the first time.

The shooting of *Addhuri Lover* is still ongoing, and the makers recently wrapped up the second schedule. Produced by AP Arjun, the film will be released in multiple languages. It has Sanketh MYS handling the cinematography and Arjun Janya scoring the music. Ravi Varma will be handling the stunts for the film.

Meanwhile, AP Arjun is simultaneously shooting for Dhruva Sarja's *Martin*.

AP Arjun

A still from the film

'FILMS LIKE GILKY HELP ME PROVE MY METTLE'

...says Tarak Ponnappa, who talks to *CE* about his upcoming dark comedy slated for release this Friday

CE FEATURES

TARAK Ponnappa, who wants to break the stereotype of playing alpha roles, is happy to be part of an 'out of the box film' like *Gilky*. "I am more than the police officer or villain characters I play. Films like *Gilky* help me prove my mettle" says the model-turned-actor ahead of the release this week. "I feel that today mostly filmmakers in Kannada are after commercial films. I want to fill that void with experimental projects and roles."

According to Tarak, *Gilky* is a dark romantic comedy, that tells the story of three differently-abled people - Gilky, Nancy, and Shakespeare. "These three, who are ignored by society, create their own beautiful world. The relationship between Gilky and Nancy blossoms into romance. Will the society accept their bond or will it destroy their World forms the crux of the story," he explains.

Ninety-five per cent of the film has been shot in Mangaluru, and the remaining in Bengaluru. "Though *Gilky* is made by debutant YK, he has travelled with me for almost eight years, since my debut in *Ajaramara*. We discussed a lot of stories and wanted to work on content-driven films."

Gilky is backed by Narasimha Kulkarni. It has music by Adil Nadaf and cinematography by S Karthik.

Tarak Ponappa

Brinda Acharya bags her first female-centric film *JULIET 2*

The suspense-thriller marks the directorial debut of Virat Gowda

CE FEATURES

BRINDA Acharya, who was last seen in Prem's 25th film, *Premam Poojyam* has bagged her first female-centric film. Titled *Juliet 2*, the film has Brinda playing the titular role. The film, which marks the directorial debut of Virat Gowda is a bi-lingual film made in Kannada and Malayalam. The entire film has been filmed in a deep forest location of Kudremukh, and reportedly seventy per cent of the film has been filmed with a torch or low light.

Virat Gowda

Juliet 2 produced by Likth R Kotian under the Virat Motion Pictures and PL Productions banner will be out in two parts. The film has cinematography by Shento V Anto.

Brinda Acharya

ALIA BHATT ON HER CHARACTER IN *GANGUBAI KATHIAWADI*

'I TURNED INTO GANGUBAI AT HOME'

MURALI KRISHNA CH

ALIA Bhatt is in the news again. The vivacious actor's upcoming biopic, *Gangubai Kathiawadi*, celebrates the journey of a woman who rose to power and reigned supreme. The actor terms it as a story of strength, inspiration, and resilience. "It's the story of a fighter. Gangubai was a good person, who, maybe, needed to be bad in a cruel world. We all have to fight to achieve something. The struggle, pain, and the ordeal she went through to become a Madam will connect with people from all walks of life," she says.

In this candid conversation, a modest Alia opens up about the film, working with Sanjay Leela Bhansali, and the challenges she faced while portraying this complex character.

Excerpts from the interview:

A major release for you after the pandemic. What's your mindset now?

I am nervous. It's been an overwhelming time for cinemas across the country. There were many questions running through my mind. Has the audience forgotten the theatrical experience? Will people come to the theatres? The scene has changed after the release of several big films, including *Pushpa: The Rise*, which has brought back the audience to theatres. I now believe that if you give a good film to the audience, they will come to the theatres, smiling. I believe we have put up a good film and I am hoping for a positive response.

Alia Bhatt discusses the physical-mental transformation she endured to portray Gangubai, the eponymous madam of a brothel in Mumbai's Kamathipura, in her upcoming *Gangubai Kathiawadi*

How did this Sanjay Leela Bhansali collaboration come about?

I have wanted to be Sanjay (Leela Bhansali) sir's heroine ever since I was 9. I remember giving an audition for Black (2005). It didn't work out, but he looked into my eyes and said, "This girl is a heroine... ye heroine hai." When I first went through the script of *Gangubai Kathiawadi*, I wasn't confident that I would be able to pull off the central character. I asked Sanjay sir whether he was confident I could do it. The audience has seen me largely as a bubbly, innocent, young girl. I was rather nervous whether I would be able to bring about the intensity, aura, and power of this character. But Sanjay sir instilled confidence in me and asked me not to worry.

Tell us about the preparation you went through to portray Gangubai.

I am an imaginative person. I am always dreaming and there's always something running through my mind. If you give me just a few words, I can imagine a scene and begin acting. My conversations with Sanjay sir helped me portray this role better. My preparation was mainly to follow Sanjay sir's instructions. He wanted my voice to communicate more bass as I had to portray both the younger and older versions of Gangubai. I took some training and changed my voice. I also put on weight for the part. Sanjay sir would often ask me to just eat, be happy and come to the sets. He didn't want me to follow a diet chart. And so, I ate everything and anything that was available on the sets (laughs). His thought process was aimed at keeping actors happy. I sought that too as I was playing a challenging character. Also, as Gangubai was from Kathiawad, it was important to bring out the Gujarati dialect. I needed to show that mother-tongue influence in her dialogues. Above all, this is a true story that happened in the 1950s, and just imagining those situations got really overwhelming.

Q&A

What is your first step of preparation when approaching a role?

I strongly believe there isn't one way of doing anything. I prefer to go by my director's vision. Whatever my director asks me to do, I do—even if it means not preparing for a part and turning up at the sets without any idea. Gangubai Kathiawadi broke all my methods. The experience was, in a sense, beyond my understanding. For example, if we are doing scene A, suddenly Sanjay sir would say let's do scene B or he would mix A and B together. I had to be prepared for surprises. I believe that it's such experiences that help you stand on your feet.

I understood that there's no one way of doing a scene. Initially, I would read a scene and come to the sets. After a point, I stopped reading, and simply tried to say or do as Gangubai would. There are so many ways to approach a scene. What's there on the paper is just the starting point. If you want to fly, you have to take the leap. I did that!

Was it mentally exhausting to portray Gangubai?

It was. And I still haven't detached myself from the character. I shot the film for two years amid two waves of the pandemic. Till a film comes out, the character stays within me. Even if it's been three years, I am sometimes unable to let a character go. I relax when the film comes out.

Any particularly challenging scenes you remember?

Portraying Gangubai, in all her strength and complexity, was the toughest task. She was an emotional character, a rebel, but still shows a lot of angst for situations she finds herself in.

It's a film about this woman and you have to fall in love with her. This is not me and this is definitely not a world I know. The story is set in Kamathipura, a place I have never set foot in. I experienced it through the set in Film City, Mumbai. This was all completely alien to me; I think I have almost become a different person. Even at home, I would sit like Gangubai, and talk like her. My family wondered who I was; they saw they were not looking at the Alia they knew. The toughest part was being so far away from who I am.

How much of the story has been fictionalised?

The film is based on the chapter of Gangubai Kothewali from Hussain Zaidi's book, Mafia Queens of Mumbai. It's a short chapter, so, yes, we had to imagine scenes and dialogues and create the world.

You also got the opportunity to work with Ajay Devgn in this film.

It was a fabulous experience! He is playing one of the most important characters in Gangubai's life. It's his character that turns Gangubai's life around. They meet at a crucial point in the film. He is an amazing co-star to work with, someone who always arrived on the sets before he had to. I even got stressed out because he was arriving before me (smiles). He was accommodating and gave me a lot of suggestions.

You have another ambitious film (*RRR*) lined up for release in a month's time.

Sometimes, stars align, and things work out (smiles). I have always wanted to be a pan-India actor. Sridevi is a big icon of mine. She was the numero uno star in Telugu, Tamil, and Hindi. Although the number games don't bother me much, I want to be able to reach out to people's homes and hearts. I don't believe language is a barrier as it's the story and characterisation that take you forward as an actor. I am really grateful to be a part of RRR. I think it's the beginning of a new journey; hopefully, there's more in store for me.

INDUSTRIAL TRANSFORMATION

The Department of Industries and Commerce acts as a catalyst for the overall development of the industrial sector through effective discharge of developmental and facilitation roles.

With a view to promote investment and trade, the Department formulates and implements the Policies of the State, Identification of Sectoral Advantages of the State and Human resource development for sustainable and growth-oriented industrialization has been a crucial role of the Department.

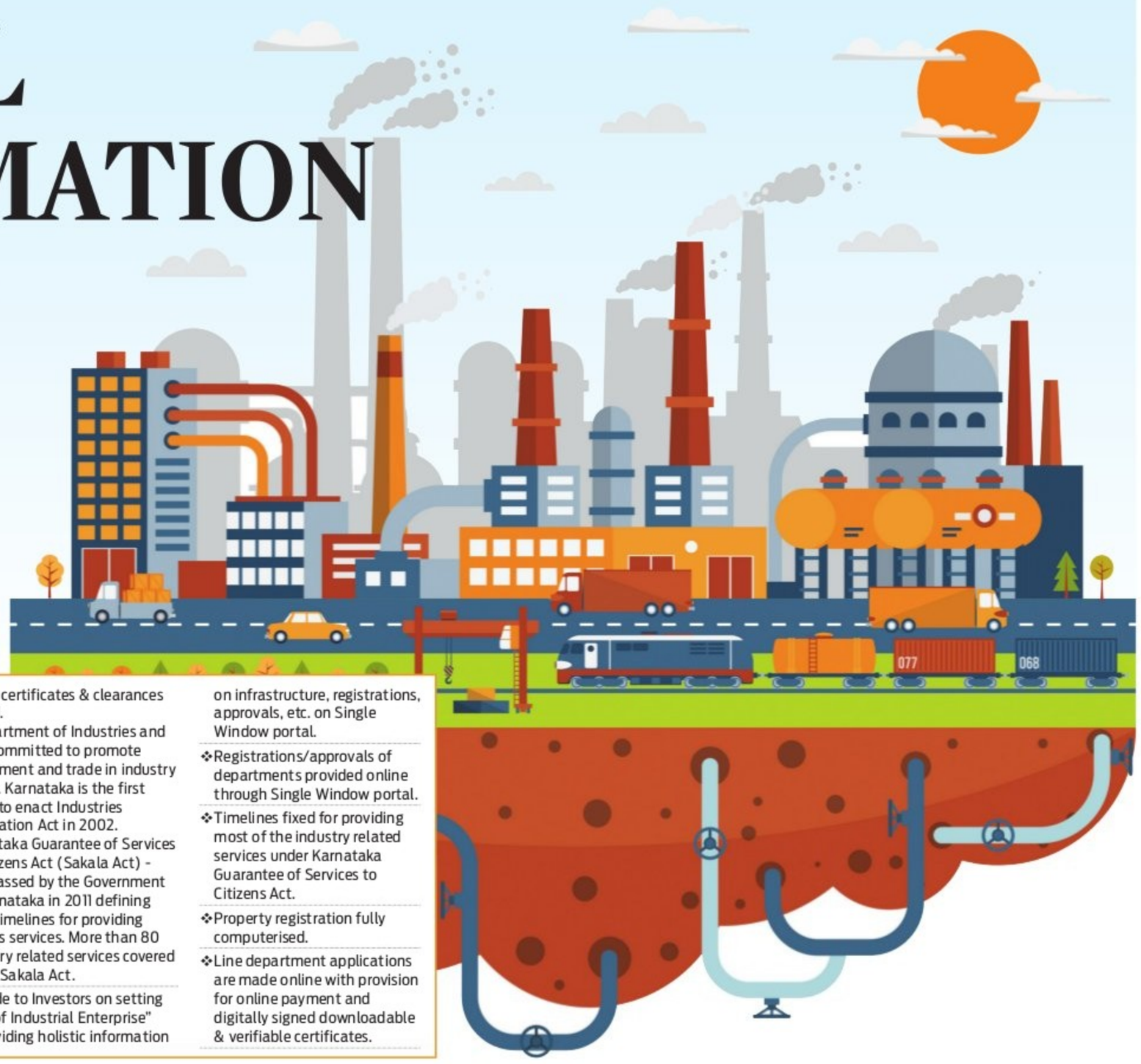
Facilitating the take-off of infrastructure projects that boost the industrial growth has also been the Department's forte. The Department helps enhance the competitiveness of domestic industry through modernization, technology upgradation and adoption of best practices. It also provides a forum for entrepreneurs and industrialists through their associations to represent their needs to the Government, which translates into Policies of the State.

Some of the crucial infrastructure projects facilitated by the Department include Growth Centers across the State, Export Promotion Industrial Parks, International Technology Park Ltd., Electronic City, Food and Agro-technology parks, Agro Export zones, Special Economic Zones, Bengaluru International Airport, etc.

The Department is able to reach out to the small businesses as well as Industrial Houses by a great degree of decentralization within the organizational structure. The Department functions through the Districts Industries Centers, various Boards & Corporations and Special purpose vehicles. The implementation of Policies of the Government is done through various schemes and the implementation of these schemes is decentralized for faster delivery of services.

The Department has established the Single Window Mechanism for faster, single point clearances to be given to projects seeking infrastructure facilities/incentives/concessions and help in establishing industries and businesses in Karnataka. Karnataka Udyog Mitra is the nodal agency under the Single window set up.

There are several Self-employment generation schemes formulated by the State and Central Governments from time to time and are being implemented.



eBiz Karnataka

eBiz is a Single Window System and is one of the integrated services projects and part of Mission Mode Projects (MMPs) under the National E-Governance Plan (NEGP) of the Government of India.

Accordingly, Government of Karnataka has also started integrated services for the project approvals of the line departments related to Industrial Investments, which provides online filing of application, processing, status verification and also provision of downloading of final certificate/ clearances. The system also provides third party verification of the certificates & clearances issued.

Department of Industries and ce is committed to promote investment and trade in industry sector. Karnataka is the first State to enact Industries Facilitation Act in 2002. Karnataka Guarantee of Services to Citizens Act (Sakala Act) - was passed by the Government of Karnataka in 2011 defining clear timelines for providing various services. More than 80 Industry related services covered under Sakala Act.

- Guide to Investors on setting up of Industrial Enterprise" providing holistic information on infrastructure, registrations, approvals, etc. on Single Window portal.
- Registrations/approvals of departments provided online through Single Window portal.
- Timelines fixed for providing most of the industry related services under Karnataka Guarantee of Services to Citizens Act.
- Property registration fully computerised.
- Line department applications are made online with provision for online payment and digitally signed downloadable & verifiable certificates.

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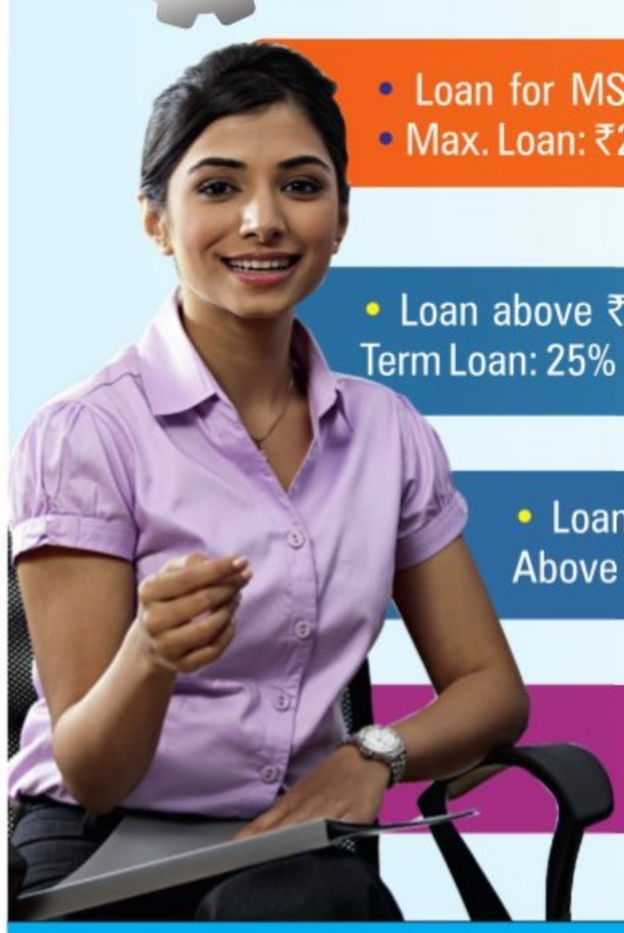

Canara MSME CAP
• Loan for MSME entrepreneurs against property • Meet Capital Expenditure / Working Capital needs • Max. Loan: ₹20 crore (Mfrs.) & ₹10 crore (Services) • Min. loan amount shall be above ₹10 lakhs

Canara Contractor
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Canara Doctors' Choice
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• Loan above ₹10 lakh & up to ₹1 crore for SC/ST entrepreneurs & women beneficiaries for setting up greenfield projects. Composite Loans (WC + TL)

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Visionary with an IDEA FOR PROGRESS

The Karnataka government will shortly develop industrial estates across the state with a combined area totaling about 50,000 acres. The industrial estates include those facilities with a combined area of 20,000 acres around Bengaluru city. The industrial areas closer to Bengaluru will have names with a suffix or prefix of Bengaluru in view of the brand appeal the city commands among investors globally. Today, Karnataka has emerged as one of the country's most attractive investment destinations due to the many progressive reforms of the government. For two successive quarters of the fiscal year 2021-2022, Karnataka has attracted the highest FDI in the country. By the end of September 2021, Karnataka had received over Rs 1.02 lakh crore in FDI. This is close to 45 percent of the total FDI inflow to India, Rs 2.29 lakh crore.

MURUGESH NIRANI,
Minister of Large and Medium Industries

A speech by industrialist-cum-politician S T Patil during Murugesh R Nirani's school days opened up many new possibilities, and he probably glimpsed his own destiny. Guided by inspiration of Maharaja Krishnaraja Wadiyar IV, the Minister for Large and Medium Industries, Government of Karnataka has been winning accolades from all sectors for his achievements. Today, Karnataka is a preferred destination for national and global investors and has remained a top recipient of FDIs inflows in India.

Even as 2022 has set in, good news rolls out for the investors and industrialists in Karnataka with Murugesh Nirani introducing "10-year Lease-cum-Sale" of Karnataka Industrial Areas Development Board (KIADB) land allotted for the industries.

Earlier this month, the government has notified an amendment to the KIADB rules that any company with a 10-year lease-cum-sale agreement need not wait for 10 years to buy the land. If the company has utilised 50% of the allotted land and fulfills other conditions sale deed will be executed two years from the date of commercial production.

Giving a big push to growth, the Karnataka industries department has approved 88 industrial projects worth Rs 2,367.99 crore that are expected to generate jobs for over 10,904 people in the state.

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Karnataka has identified 22,655 acres of land that will be acquired for industries, making this the biggest such activity in one go in recent times. Industries Minister Murugesh Nirani has fast-tracked the land acquisition process considering the demand coming from industries.

The state has been following the footprints of the Make in India program of the Government of India to facilitate investment, foster innovation, enhance skill development, protect intellectual property and build best in class manufacturing infrastructure in the country. The primary objective of this initiative is to attract investments from across the globe and strengthen Karnataka's industrial sector.

The Large and Medium Industries Ministry aims to utilise the existing talent base, create additional employment opportunities, and empower the secondary and tertiary sectors.

The recent initiatives like 'Udyami Aagu, Udyoga Needu' ('Be an Entrepreneur, Become an Employer') in October was a huge success. The event aimed at attracting professional youth and students to entrepreneurship and employment generation where around 10,000 people attended the event. The idea is to make them job-providers instead of job-seekers.

After Bengaluru, the program was a huge success in Kalaburagi and will be organised at Belgaum, Mangalouru, Mysuru, and Tumakuru. Another breakthrough initiative is the 'Kaigarika Adalat'– a platform created to resolve industry-related issues.

The recent participation of Karnataka at the Dubai Expo 2020 attracted a lot of foreign investment attraction before the Global Investors Conference 2022. Many foreign investors interested to invest in the state will create massive employment.

The Karnataka government is committed to making the state of Karnataka the most industrially progressive state in India. Through conducting several programs over the past six months, the Department of Industry and Commerce has successfully handed over land and fiscal incentives to generate employment opportunities for the youth in the state.

The Large and Medium Industries Ministry has been successful in creating an entrepreneurial environment and enhancing investor friendliness in the state, attracting investment proposals through measures such as the Industrial Infrastructure Amendment, Land Reform Act Amendment, Faster Approval of Business Proposals, Emphasis on Flexible Business, Affidavit Based Approval, and Deregulation of Regulations. Section-wise policies like ESDM Special Incentive package, Updated EV policy, ER&D (Engineering Research and Development) policy provide best in class incentives.

The government has targeted to acquire land and start building facilities well before the three-day global investors meet (GIM) scheduled from November 2 this year. About 300 large investors are expected to take part in the event.

Support with a BOUQUET OF JOY

Canara Bank has been a front runner in providing the required support to MSMEs for their development. The Bank offers a bouquet of products tailored and customised to suit the diverse needs of MSME businesses.

The gap in availability of finance to MSMEs from formal sources is prominent and hence the scope for improving credit assistance to MSMEs is huge provided the formal financial institutions progressively reach out to the large extent of uncovered/under covered MSMEs.

The year 2020-2021, witnessed the outbreak of the COVID 19 pandemic which had a severe impact on Indian Economy and brought the MSME business to a standstill. The impact is not over yet, and the threat is still looming large. Canara Bank has been at the fore front in extending support to MSMEs in these trying times through various schemes introduced by Government of India like the Emergency Credit Line Guarantee Scheme (ECLGS), PMSVANidhi scheme for street vendors, financial support to health care sector etc., as part of the COVID 19 relief package. The Bank also has a robust presence on all the three platforms under TReDS and has been addressing the liquidity issues of MSMEs through bill discounting on these platforms.

Bank also offers several area specific and a range of-schemes/products to cater to the specific requirement of cross section of MSMEs, serviced through a dedicated network of branches and processing hubs. Further, the Bank has also partnered with Fintechs for sourcing of MSE proposals and NBFCs under Co-Lending Model of RBI to bridge the last mile gap to borrower.

The Bank has been reorienting its business strategies to suit to the needs of MSMEs with the changing times. The digital initiatives of the Bank has also been aligned towards the needs and aspirations of the present generation entrepreneurs. The Bank while saluting the MSMEs for their contribution in nation building, re-dedicates itself to serve them in the best way possible.

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'MSMEs have been the most vulnerable during pandemic due to their size'

Nand Kishore, Chief General Manager, SBI Bengaluru Circle shares his thoughts about the impact of MSMEs on the economy, the Covid effect on the way businesses are performing , and the bank's lending schemes.

- Started his career with SBI in 1990 as a Probationary Officer.
- He has worked in different geographical locations in India and abroad heading various business functions. He has profound experience of handling and managing various areas of Banking such as Treasury Operations, Corporate Credit, International Banking Operations, Equity Portfolio Management etc...
- Before shouldering the responsibility of heading Bengaluru Circle, he was the Branch Head of Corporate Accounts Group – II, Mumbai (June 2019 to May 2021).
- He had the overall responsibility of managing the Corporate Accounts of the branch under his leadership.
- Other key assignments held by Mr. Nand Kishore during the last 10 years in SBI are as under:
  - General Manager, Corporate Accounts Group – II, Mumbai (June 2019 to May 2021)
  - Deputy General Manager, Interest rate Market (Global Markets), Mumbai (Jan 2017 to June 2019)
  - Deputy General Manager & Chief Operating, Corporate Accounts Group, Delhi (Sep 2015 to Jan 2017)
  - Assistant General Manager, Interest rate Market (Global Markets), Mumbai (July 2012 to Sep 2015)

What impact does the MSMEs have on the Indian economy and what is SBI's role in giving the MSME sector a boost?

MSMEs are the growth accelerators of the Indian economy, contributing about 30% of the country's GDP. MSME also plays an important role in employment generation in the country. State Bank of India has launched a bouquet of credit products and technology driven schemes to boost the MSME sector. All the Govt Policies, related to credit growth or employment generation, are disseminated through SBI with our large customer base and the distant reach. SBI is the pioneer and market leader in financing MSMEs. As on 31st December 2021, we have lent to over 24.06 lac SMEs with an amount of over Rs.10.5 lac crores.

How has the COVID -19 impacted the MSME Business as a whole and what has been SBI's role in tackling the challenges posed by the pandemic?

MSMEs have been the most vulnerable during pandemic due to their size, scale of business and availability of financial resources. A number of enterprises like restaurants, travel agencies, beauty salons, logistics service providers etc. were hit adversely. A lot of enterprises were forced to close their businesses due to lockdown related challenges and the pandemic related health issues.

The critical barriers faced by MSMEs are market access, overall productivity and getting easy access to financial support including debt. Our bank offers all types of credit products including the Guaranteed Emergency Credit Line (GECL) loans guaranteed by the Govt. We have also provided restructuring options to the existing clients. In the initial phase of the pandemic, SBI had offered to defer the TL instalments and Working Capital interests of our borrowers apart from other reliefs. The Bank has also launched Aarogyam product for healthcare sector.

How comfortable are you in sanctioning loans that are not backed by collateral?

Availability of bank credit without the hassles of collaterals / third party guarantees is a major source of support to the first-generation entrepreneurs to realise their dream of setting up a unit of their own Micro and Small Enterprise (MSE). Keeping this objective in view, Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSME), Government of India launched Credit Guarantee Scheme (CGS) so as to strengthen credit delivery system and facilitate flow of credit to new as well as existing Micro and Small Enterprise, including Service Enterprises, with a maximum credit cap of 2 Crore. To operationalise the scheme, Government of India and SIDBI set up the Credit Guarantee Fund Trust for Micro and Small Enterprises (CGTMSE).

Pradhan Mantri MUDRA Yojana (PMMY) is a scheme for providing loans up to 10 lakhs without collateral security to the non-corporate, non-farm small/micro enterprises. These loans are classified as MUDRA loans under PMMY. The borrower can approach any of our Branches or can apply online through the portal www.udyamimitra.in.

Stand-Up India scheme is to facilitate bank loans between 10 lakh and 1 Crore to at least one Scheduled Caste (SC) or Scheduled Tribe (ST) borrower and the women entrepreneurs for setting up a greenfield enterprise. This enterprise may be in manufacturing, services, agri-allied activities or the trading sector Besides primary security, the loan may be secured by Credit guarantee. The National Credit Guarantee Trustee Company (NCGTC) is acting as the Trustee and operations of Stand-Up India scheme is undertaken by NCGTC on behalf of the said Fund Trust. Our Bank has been enrolled by NCGTC as a Member Lending Institution (MLI) and necessary agreement has been executed by the Bank.

We, in our Bank are focusing on all these schemes to provide collateral free loans to the applicants, which ever suits their eligibility and requirements.

"Fintech" is the buzzword today. How is SBI using technology to boost MSME growth?

The world is changing and so is the way the businesses are being done. To give an actual sustainable boost to the economy, it must be technology driven. Our bank has come up with some purely digital products like PABL (Pre-approved business loan) for existing current account holders. This is a pre-approved loan which is being sanctioned based on the customer's profile and transactions using the Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning and interested customers can avail this loan using YONO platform or CINB platform.

CLP (Contactless Lending Platform) is another purely digital product which will change the way banking is done in a big way. We have simplified the appraisal and sanction process for Electronic Vendor finance scheme by using CLP platform for our Vendor finance portfolio.

How is SBI moving forward post COVID scenario?

Bank is committed to creating an environment of increased risk awareness at all levels. The business continuity plan that were chalked out have worked well for the Bank. The bank will continue to accelerate its digital agenda. The scope and the reach of YONO will be expanded further.

To boost the growth further, there should be credit offtake. MSMEs should not shy away from availing credit. We are trying to provide secure and seamless access to credit to the borrowers.

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Electronic Dealer Financing Scheme

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- Eligibility: Dealers of Industry Majors with whom the e-DFS tie-up is entered with
- Amount of Facility: Need based (As per tie-up)
  Margin: Nil (100% Funding)
- Security:
  - Primary: 100% Hypothecation of stocks financed and receivables
  - Collateral: Minimum 25% or Nil*
- Rate of Interest: Lowest Rate of Interest, linked to EBLR/MCLR Present effective rate ranges from EBLR/MCLR+0.55 to 0.85 Rate
- Charges: Unified charges
- Validity: 12 Months

SBI eVFS

Electronic Vendor Financing Scheme

- Purpose: To provide finance to authorized Vendor of IMs having tie-up arrangement with Our bank.
- Eligibility: Vendors identified by respective Industry Majors
- Amount - Need based
- Security - NIL Security
- Rate of Interest - Competitive rate of interest
  - EBR + 15 bps
  - or
  - EBR + 25 bps

  } Based on tie-up with IMs
- Processing charges
  - Rs.10,000/- to Rs.50,000/-
- Validity - 12 months (renewable there after)

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• **Baroda GST Receivables Card For MSME Entrepreneurs**
We provide additional working capital assistance to customers facing a crunch in liquidity arising out of GST paid on purchases and input tax credit.
• **Baroda Laghu Udyami Credit Card**
Loan to meet the credit requirements of small business units, retail traders, artisans, village industries, small-scale industrial units, and tiny units.
• **Baroda Loan to Business Correspondents**
A loan for business correspondents or kiosk operators who have valid agreements with service providers to meet working capital needs.
• **Baroda MSE General Credit Card**
Purpose is to finance a new project, i.e., acquisition of land/ construction of building, plant and machinery based on project cost/expansion.
• **Baroda Property Pride**
Loan for need-based funding to units engaged in the trade of commodities in physical form required by the community.
• **Baroda SME Gold Card**
The purpose of this card is to meet emergent requirements and tie up a temporary mismatch in liquidity arising out of delayed payment.
• **Baroda SME Loan Pack**
We provide hassle-free credit for working capital (fund based and non-fund based) as also capital expenditure related to the business.
• **Baroda Vidyasthali Loan**
Baroda Vidyasthali loan is a special scheme for financing educational institutions. Finance related to construction of building or expansion.
• **BOB Weaver Mudra Scheme**
The scheme provides assistance from the bank to the weavers to meet their credit requirement i.e. for investment needs as well as for working capital.
• **Commercial Vehicle Finance**
We provide hassle-free term loans for the purchase of new commercial vehicles to first-time buyers, existing fleet operators, etc.
• **Composite Loans**
Providing fixed capital investment and/or working capital requirement up to Rs. 100 lakhs.
• **Loan for Construction and Mining Equipment**
Term loan for the purchase of new construction and mining equipment to eligible first-time buyers, small, medium, large, and strategic segment.
• **Coverage of Collateral Free Loans (CGTMSE)**
The purpose is to provide collateral free loans upto Rs. 200 lakhs (up to Rs. 100 lakhs for retail trade) to micro and small enterprises, as defined.
• **Credit Link Capital Subsidy Scheme (CLCSS)**
The objective is to facilitate technology upgradation of tiny and SSI units in the specified products/ sub-sectors as notified by Govt. of India.
• **Dealers/Traders - Agriculture Inputs**
Any trader, firm or a cooperative society engaged in the distribution of agricultural inputs is eligible under this scheme to the extent of the credit.
• **MSME Capex Loan and Capex Card**
Loan to be considered for replacement of old machinery, purchase of balancing equipment, modernization, investment in research and development.
• **NHFDC Refinance**
We help to avail the facility of collateral-free loan for self-employment with disabilities (PWDs) at NHFDC/bank's rate of interest under theCGTMSE scheme.
• **Prime Minister Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP)**
Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP) is a credit-linked subsidy programme to generate employment
• **SME Medium Term Loan**
The purpose is to augment enterprises' working capital gap and to help in the improvement of the current ratio and also for meeting genuine requirements.
• **SME Short Term Loan**
Loan to meet temporary liquidity shortfall/mismatch in the line of business activity
• **Standup India Scheme (SUI)**
The purpose is to meet the credit requirement of Scheduled Caste (SC) or Scheduled Tribe (ST) and at least one woman entrepreneur for setting up unit.
• **Term Finance**
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